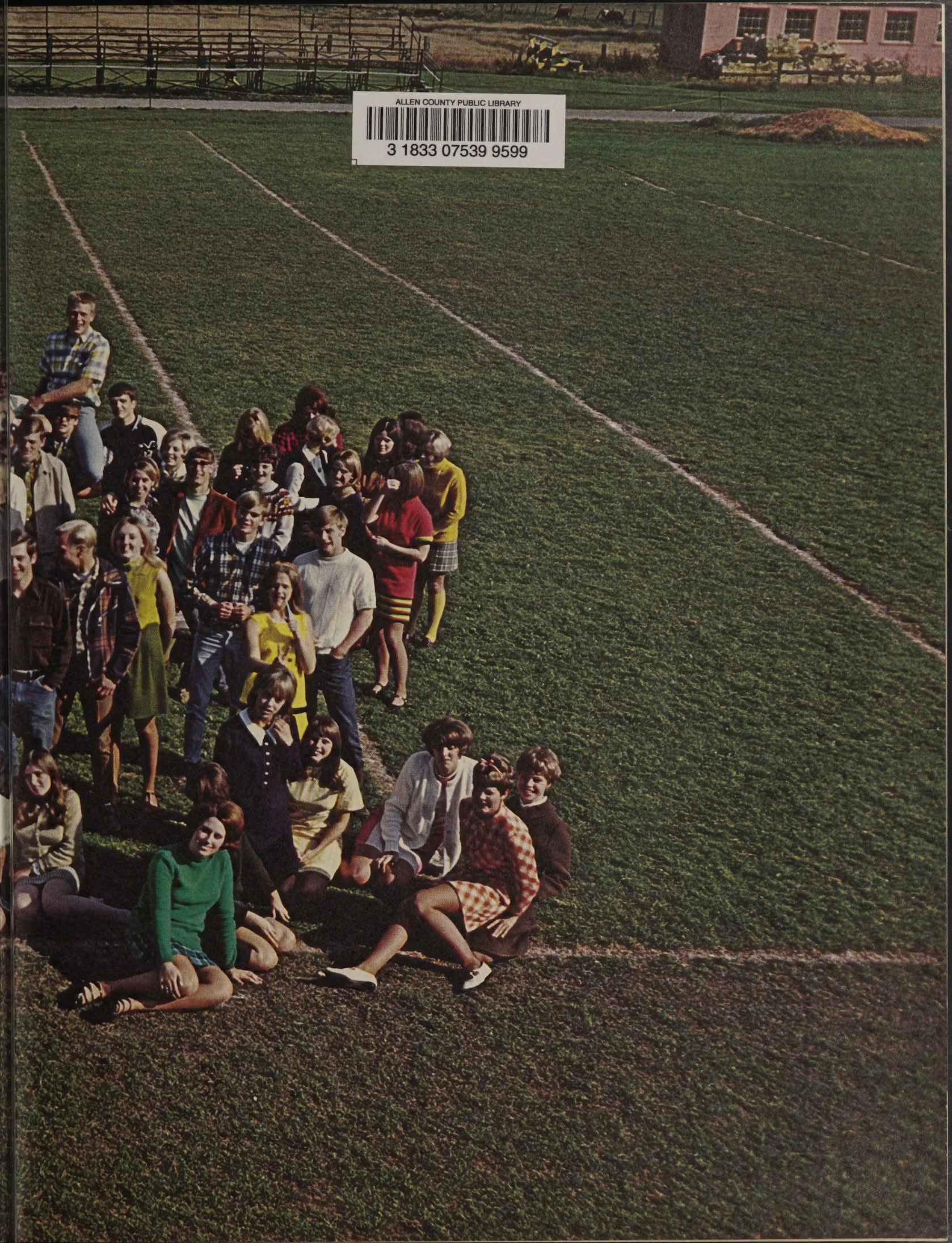
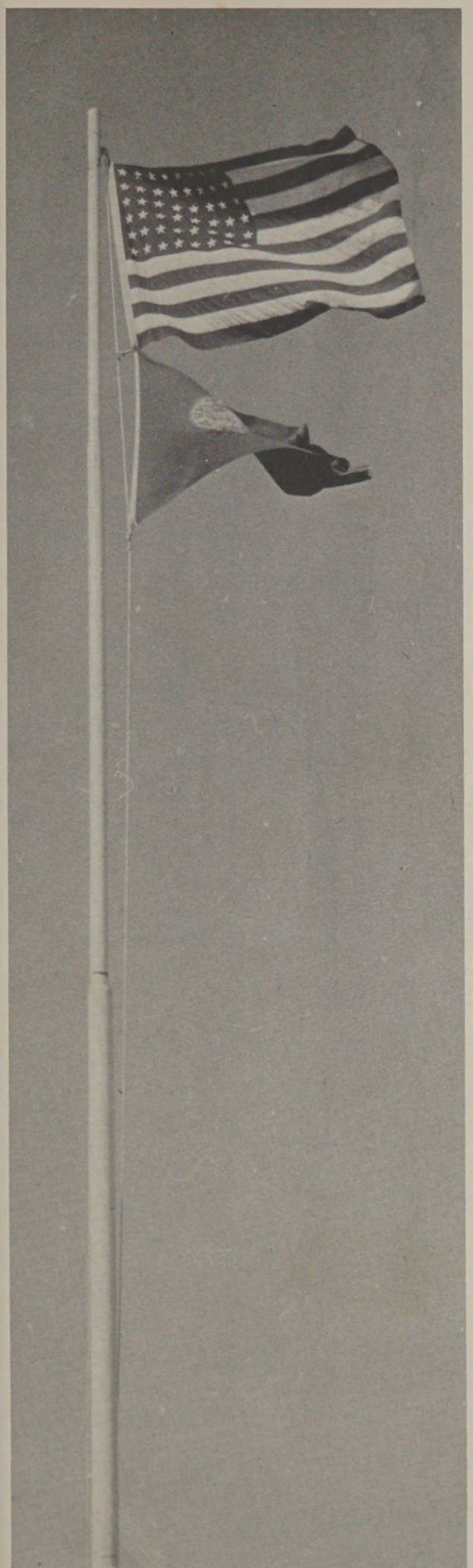
TROJAN



ALLEN COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
3 1833 07539 9599

Daryl,
It's been a hell
of a good year. (Even though
we almost got caught
cheating in Everretts class.)
Don't do anything & wouldn't
do. (Which isn't much.)

Dave
"72"



Trojan 69

Meridian High School
1673 Laurel Road
Bellingham, Washington

Editorial Staff

Kathy Standal ..... Editor
Kris Holliday ..... Copy Editor
Annette Veenstra ..... Co-Copy Editor
Janet Wieland ..... Business Manager
Randi Parker ..... Art Editor
Shelley Burkhart ..... Senior Editor
Steve Austin ..... Junior Assistant
Marlene Watts ..... Junior Assistant
Mrs. Frances Adams ..... Advisor

Table of Contents

Dedication 3
Administration 4-9
Seniors 10-25
Classes 26-33
Clubs 34-51
Sports 52-71
Student Life 72-77
Senior Directory 78-83
Advertisements 84-107

Darrell
to a Guy I
won't see all
summer because
he will be on a "trip".
Don't smoke to many
cigarets this summer on your
trip
Your buddy
Allen S.

Steven
Davenport.

Darrel, nice
to a real guy who I knew.
I will not see you
for a while because I am
moving, stay away from Osterolt
Blaine Wiens

to a little
screw who will
grow up someday.
Go out and have a good
time and [redacted] a lot of
girls.
Dennis (Bucky) Buchholz
"72"

The 1969 Trojan is dedicated to the memory of our dear Oz.

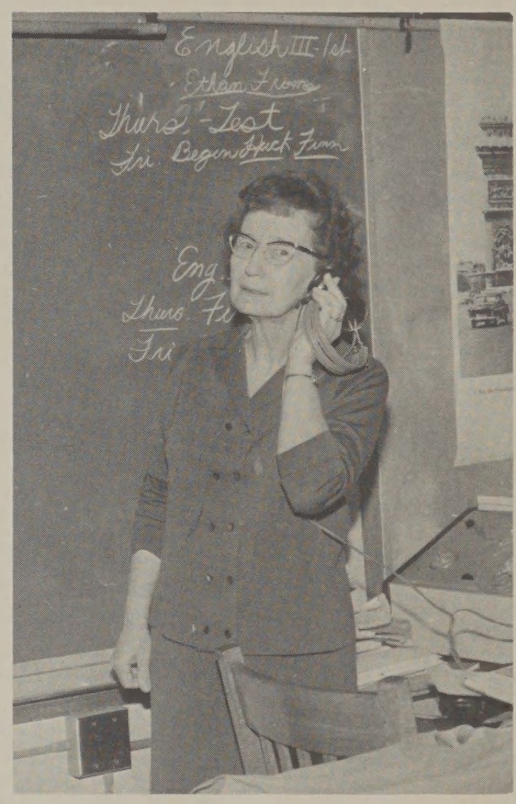
Rarely are we given the privilege of knowing a person who awakens us to a keener awareness of the good things of life. Mr. Van Moorhem was such a man. His friendliness, genuine concern for others, and fine sense of humor added warmth to the lives of the people who knew him. His talent as an artist was coupled with an ability to communicate this gift to others, giving them pleasure and enjoyment. His strength of character required and inspired his contacts and associates to be better citizens. In our hearts and memories he is a permanent part of this school and community.

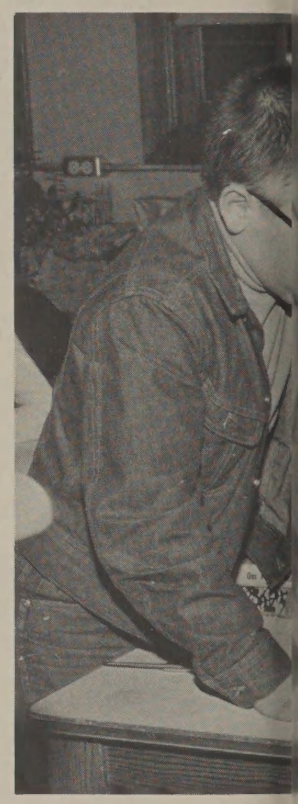
August 11, 1934–June 21, 1968

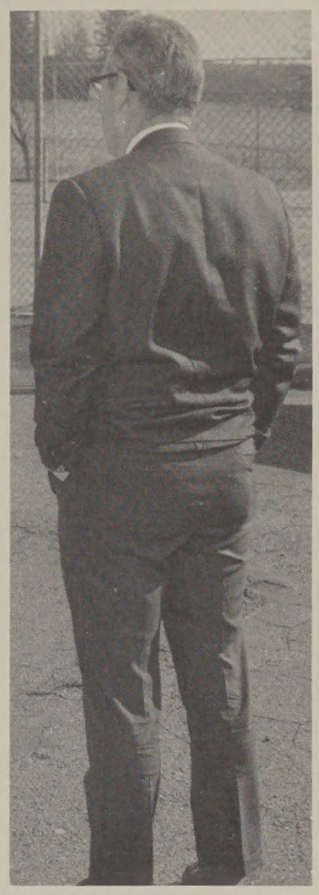
Faculty . . .

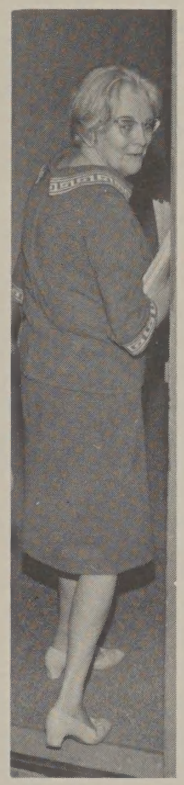
"A teacher affects eternity; he can never tell where his influence stops"

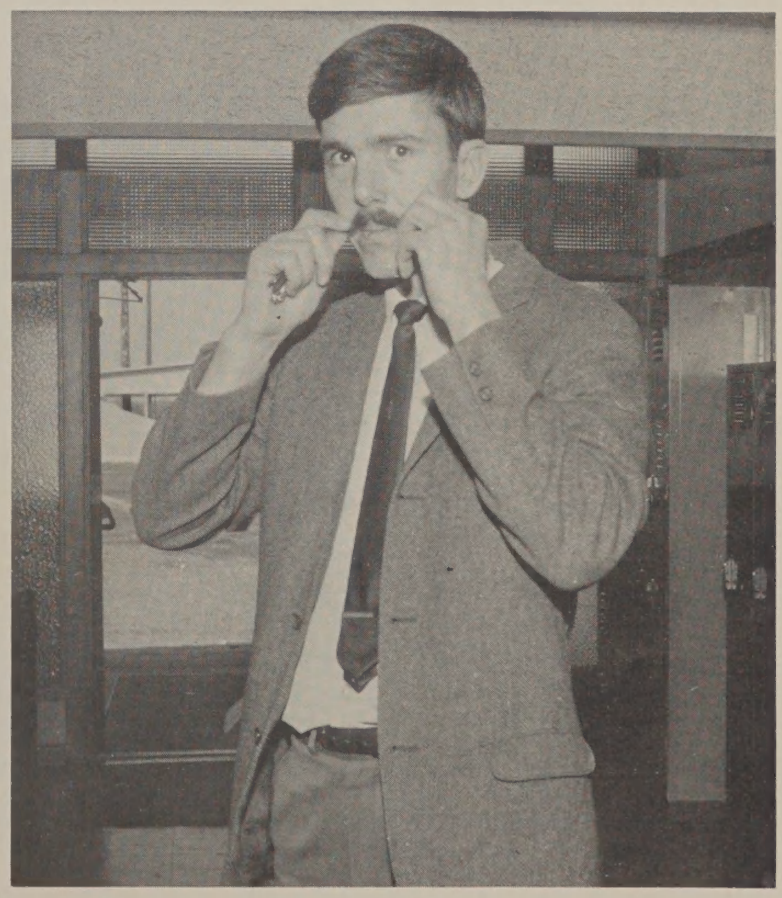
Henry Adams











Administration

Fred Wendover
Superintendent

Whitfield Kratz
Principal

Agnes Witter
Secretary

Marilyn Strickler
Secretary

Shirley Payne
Teachers' Asst.

School Board: Richard Parker, Art Jones, Wayne Wiggins, Art Bunker, Edmund Rauch.

"Your're our envoy; lead the way and we'll proceed"

Richard Sheridan

Cooks: Gladys Egerdal, Alice Abbott.

Janitors: Sterling Boyd, La Vern Robson, Ted Wiemers, Ed Erickson.

Bus Drivers: Robert VanderPloeg, La Vern Robson, mechanic; William Moldenhauer, Sterling Boyd, Alvin Franzen, Edward Claus, Robert Walker, Kenneth Robson.

Faculty . . .

"And when we
think we lead
we most are led . . . ."
Richard Sheridan

Frances Adams
Librarian

Les Knudsen
Guidance Counselor

Dean Bame
Mathematics

Bruce Taubenheim
Mathematics, Physics

Jessie Emerson
Home Economics

Mary Rowe
Art

John Abbott
Attendance Clerk,
History

Richard Hess
Mechanical Drawing,
Wood Shop

E. Bernell Sparks
Biology, Chemistry
Mathematics

Forest Holland
Metal Shop,
Agricultural Mechanics

Grace Kenoyer
English, French

Dawn Everett
English

Arnita Fisher
English

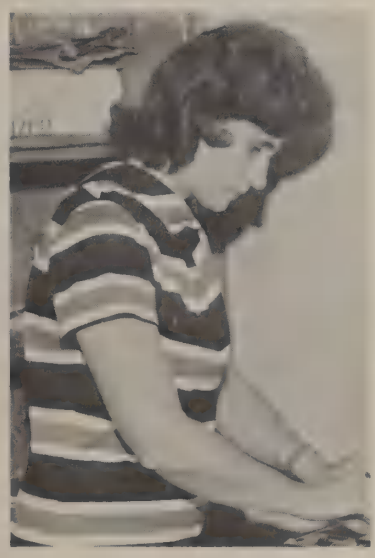
Donald Wenke
English, Journalism

Joan Osterholt
Science

Mae Burghoffer
English, History

Dale Merrell
Music

Ransford Wise
Business Education



Patricia Vickerman
Physical Education,
History

Roy Grady
Physical Education,
Government

Richard Belka
Physical Education,
History

Joan Petersen
English, History
Psychology

Seniors

OFFICERS: F. Sprague, vice president; D. Claxton, secretary; J. Zylstra, president; L. Johnson, representative; R. Fleming, treasurer; Mr. Kratz, advisor; Mr. Knudsen, advisor.

We, the class of 1969, started towards our year of leadership as freshmen. Though we were quite unsure of our future, we elected our first class officers. They were Dave Crnich, president; Nancy Viles, secretary, Gordon Neevel, treasurer; and Bill Freeman, class representative. Being underclassmen, we had many questions to ask and Mr. Holland, our advisor, answered them for us. Jill Geleynse and Don Boyd represented our freshman class at our first Football Homecoming. Finals along with springtime, moved us closer to our sophomore year.

Beginning our sophomore year, we felt quite superior but we were quickly put in our place by the juniors and seniors. We elected our officers to lead us through this difficult year. They were Don Boyd, president; Dave Crnich, vice president; John

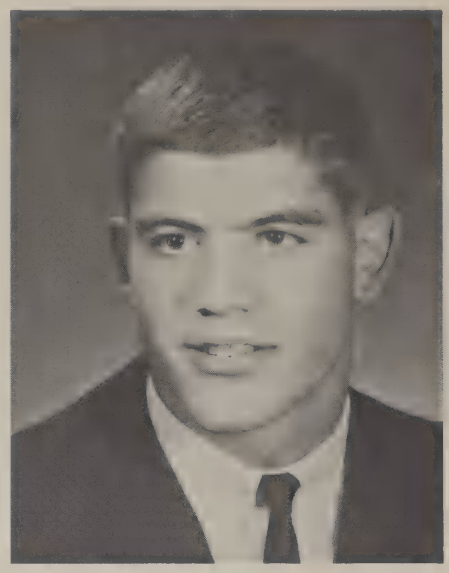
Become Leaders

Bartok, secretary; Bob Weatherby, treasurer, and Scott Fjellman, class representative. Our advisor, Mr. Knudsen, led us through the year with few problems. Alana Butenschoen and Dave Crnich represented our sophomore class at the Football Homecoming. Sharon Abbott represented us at our first Basketball Homecoming. Another school year was over and we stepped forward to one of our most formative years of high school.

We began our junior year with Mrs. Kenoyer as our new advisor. With her help we elected our officers: Bill Freeman, president; Ron Fleming, vice president, Karen Myhre, secretary; Alana Butenschoen, treasurer; and Don Boyd, class representative. Kris Holliday and Bob Weatherby represented our junior class at our Football Homecoming. Shelley Burkhart represented us at the Basketball Homecoming. We had three major events in the spring. These were all successful under the chairmenship of Shelley Burkhart, Jr. Whatnot; Randi Parker, Jr.-Sr. Prom; and Kris Holliday, Jr.-Sr. Banquet. By the time the year was over, we felt prepared for our final and most important year.

When our senior year began, we were the leaders at last. Through-out the year, we kept busy with our many activities. The excitement of the year made it pass quickly as graduation grew closer.

Don Boyd
A.S.B. President



Dave Crnich
A.S.B. Vice President

Kris Holliday
A.S.B. Secretary

Senior Leaders . . .

Karen Myhre
Girls' Club President

Leila Richardson
Drill Team Captain

Frank Sprague
Band President

Annette Veenstra
F.H.A. President

Sylvia Merrell
A.S.B. Treasurer

Randi Parker
A.S.B. Publicity Manager

Kathy Standal
Annual Editor

Bill Freeman
Big M Club President

"Lights of the world and stars of the human race . . . ."
Cowper

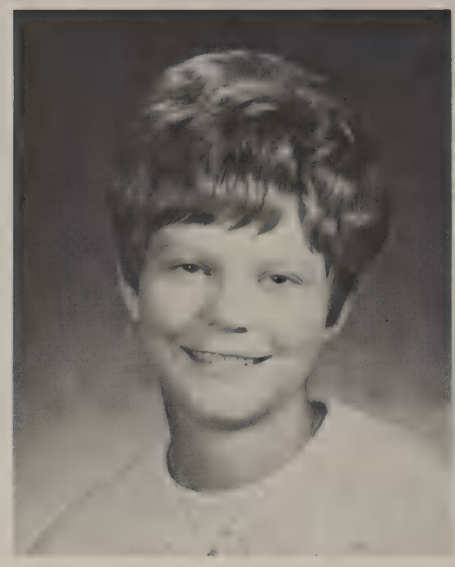
Tim Lintz
F.F.A. President

Shirley Smith
Pep Club President

Shelley Burkhart
Torch Club President

Sharon Lynne Abbott

Gary Lee Bass

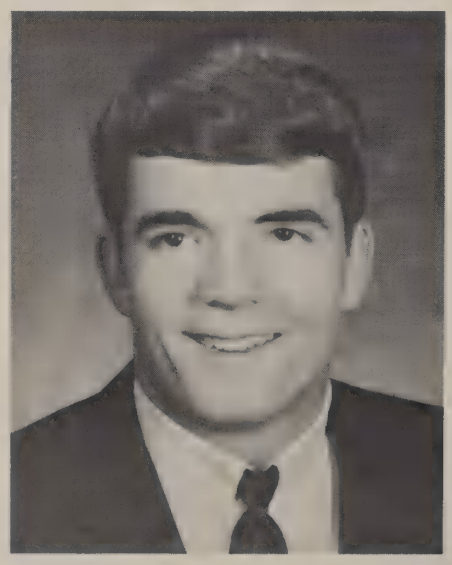


Cindy Lee Beck

Lyndell Bella Benner

Russell G. Bergstrom

Patti Diane Bolan



Donald Eugene Boyd

Shelley Ann Burkhart

Senior
of

Class "69"

Alana Kay Butenschoen

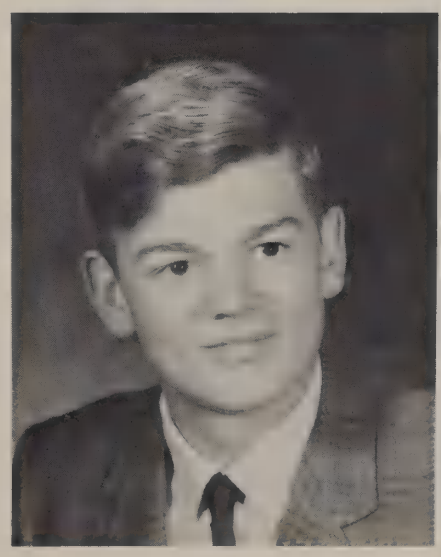
Karen Christine Byram

Cleo C. Callen

Deborah Jane Claxton

David Lloyd Crnich

Dagna Lorraine Davenport



Carl Steven Davis

Karen Elizabeth Everhart

Jon Scott Fjellman

Ronald David Fleming

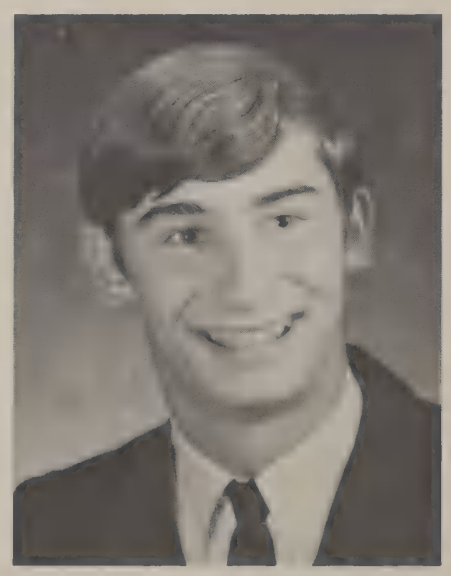
Geraldine Estelle Forsberg

Class Flower . . .

William Ryan Freeman

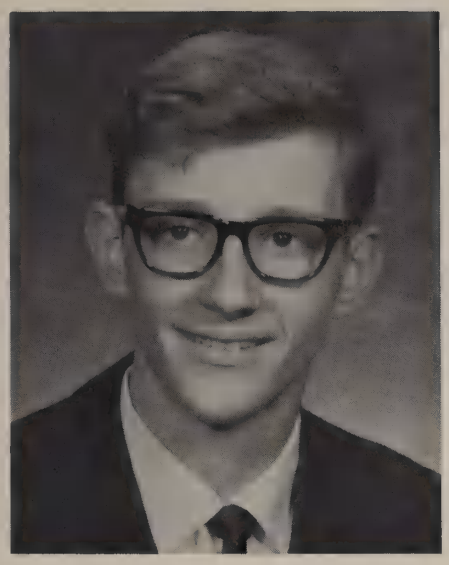
Jill Marie Geleynse

Beverly June George

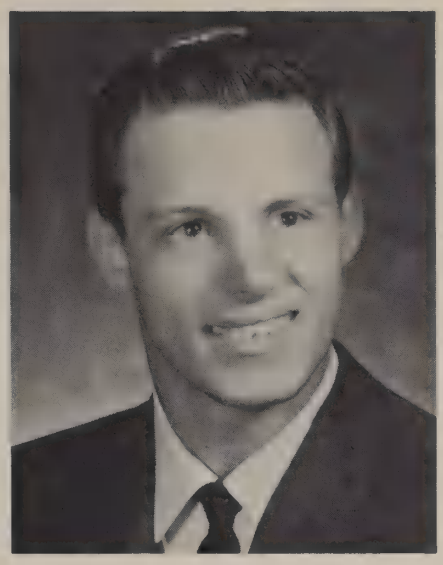


Richard Gottschalk

Kathy Ann Gwinner



Michael Jay Haehn



Steven Dale Hanowell

Curtis Lane Hawley

Rebecca Lee Heay

Kristen Louise Holliday

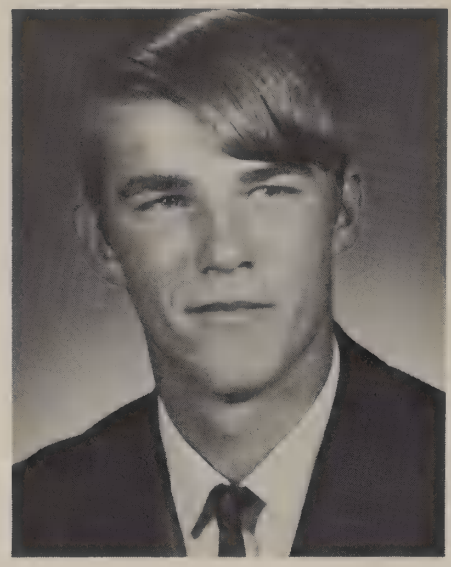
White Lilac . . . .

Linda Carol Johnson

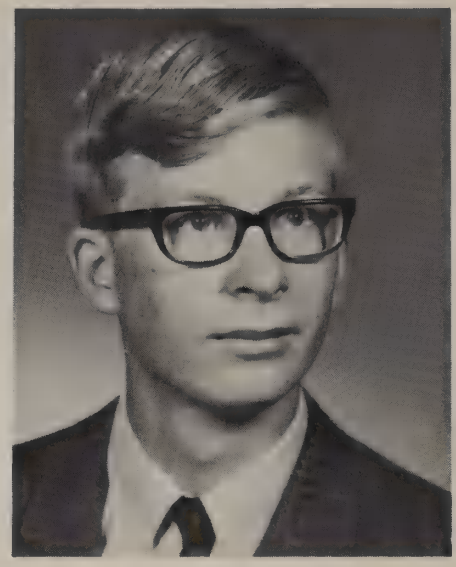
Richard Frank Johnson

Spencer Lee Johnson

Nels Arne Kalhovde

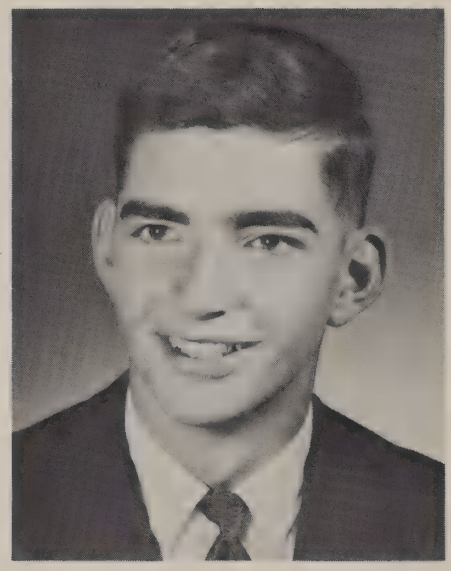


Gary Alan Lankhaar

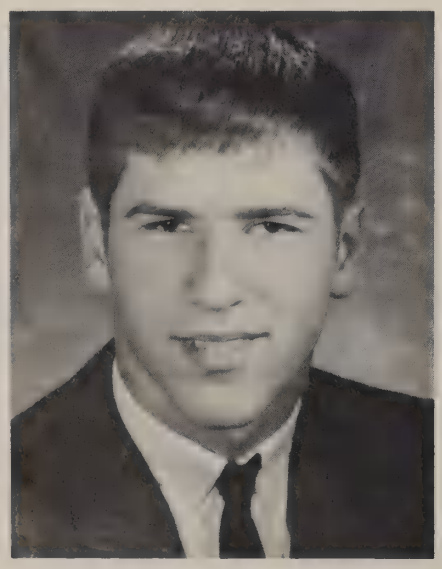


John Christian Larsen

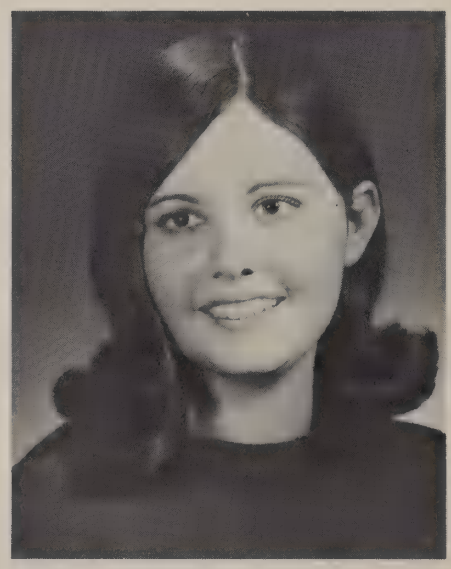
Joseph Charles Larsen



Tim Allen Lintz



Dan Jay Manthey



Sylvia Jean Merrell

Karen Elizabeth Myhre

Class

"We must not
by the name
but explore if

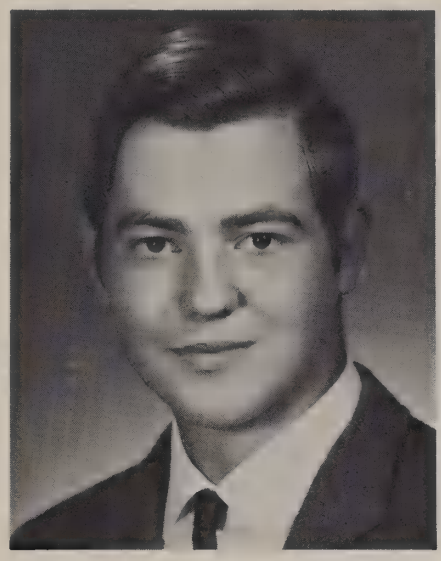
Gordon George Neevel

Necia Marie Parker

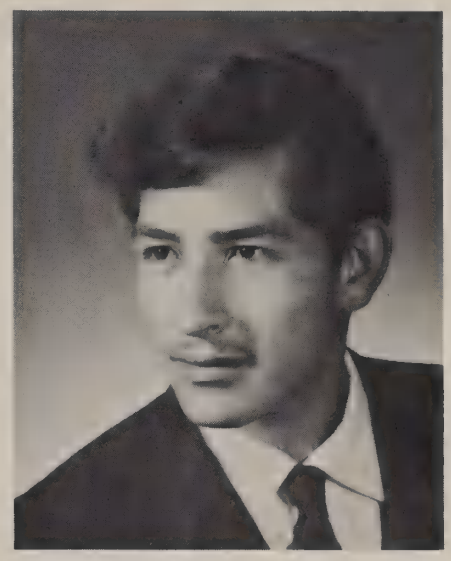
Randi Lynne Parker

Motto . . .

be hindered
of goodness,
it be goodness . . . .”
Emerson



Erling Menlo Parlova



Juan Manuel Perez

Karen Ann Pfannenstiel

Mary Elizabeth Prendergast

Robert Alan Rhea

Leila Marie Richardson

Marlene Kay Robinson

Fred LaVerne Robson

Class Colors . . .

Ricky Steven Roedell

Judy Lynne Sires

Bliss Ray Small

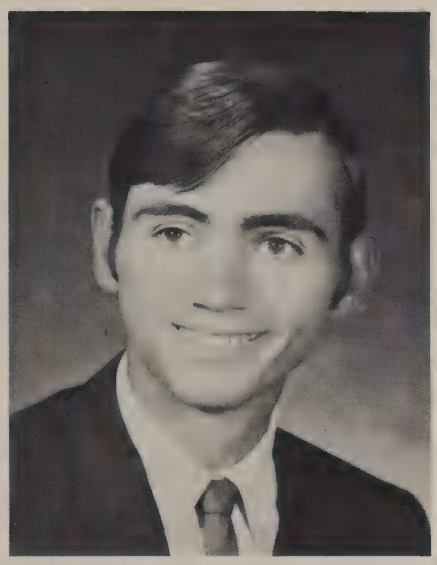
John Edward Smith

Shirley Rae Smith

Gerald Duane Stamm

Kathy Lee Standal

Patrick James Stephens

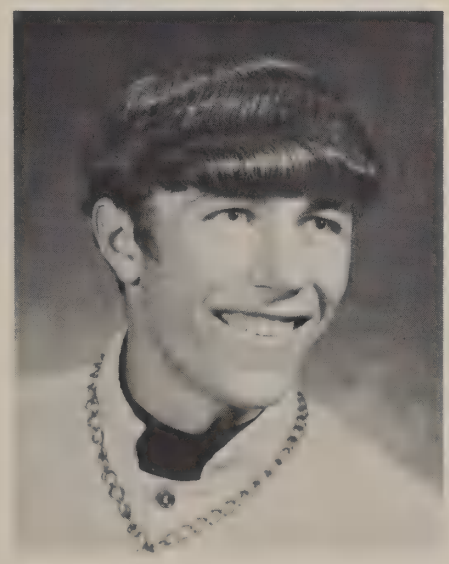


Roy Edward Stevens

Frank Alan Sprague

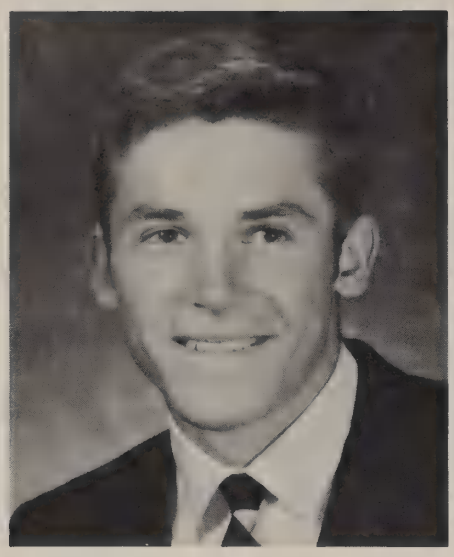
Cerise and White . . . .

Curtis Alfred Thompson



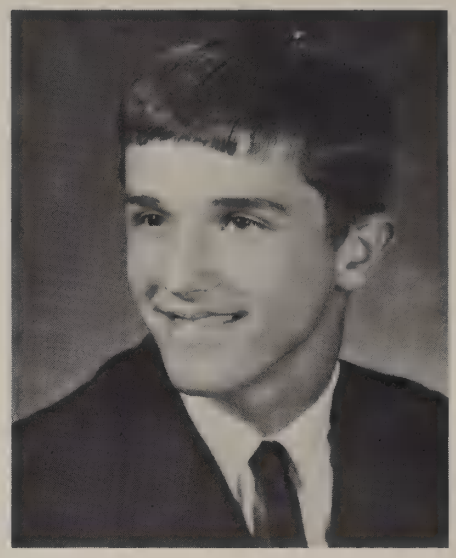
Edward Vandenhaak

Annette Sue Veenstra

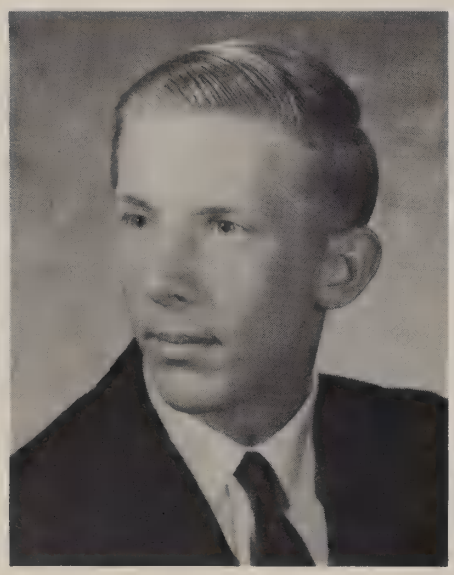


Nyle Lloyd Verkist

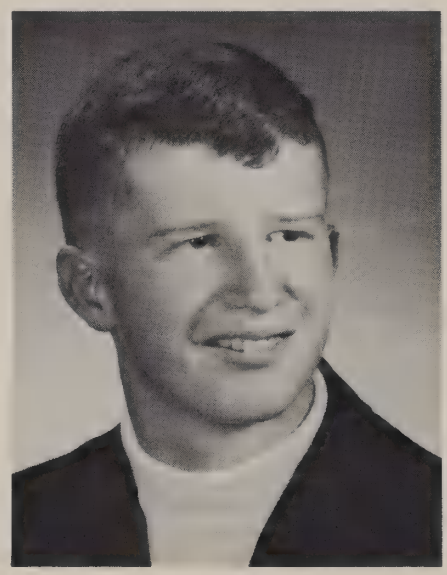
Martha Mitzu Walker



Robert Norman Weatherby

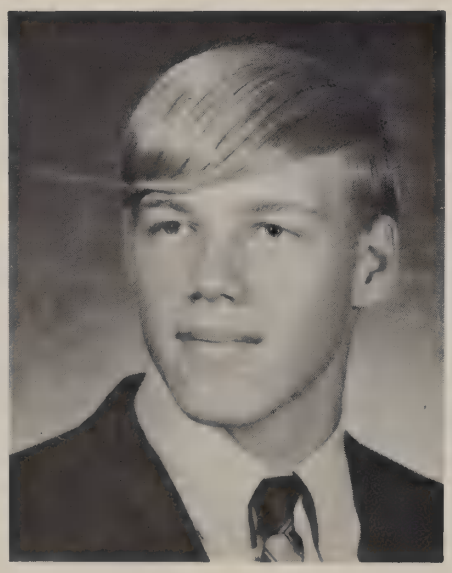


Michael Stephen Weidkamp



Richard Allen Welch

Graduation



Robert Allen White

Janet Lee Wieland

Linda JoAnn Wistoski

Constance Fae Zimbelman

John Douglas Zylstra

Alan Doyle Kluwe

The Leader of Today
is the
Future of Tomorrow

NOT PICTURED:
Michael Richard Bozich
Robert Louis Gebo

Senior Class of "69" Presents "

"The Lottery"

"If Girls Asked Boys For Dates"

"Nightmare"

The once-in-a-life-time, spectacular, stupendous, extra-ordinary, brilliant, colossa

Festival of Drama"

"The Widow's Plight"

ADVISOR: Mr. Donald Wenke. STUDENT DIRECTORS: B. George, K. Pfannenstiel, R. Gottschalk, C. Beck.

or Players

Casts:

"The Lottery"
By Shirley Jackson

Patti Bolan
Jeff Goerta
Jerry Watts
Roy Stevens
Mike Haehn
Don Boyd
Shirley Smith
Mitzie Walker
Debbi Claxton
Ed Vandenhaak
Alan Kluwe
Shelley Burkhart
Frank Sprague
Kelli Claxton
Matthew George
Curt Hawley and friends

"If Girls Asked Boys For Dates"
By Anne Martens

Kathy Standal
Dick Welch
Nels Kalhovde
Connie Zimbelman
Necia Parker

"Nightmare"
By LeRoma Greth

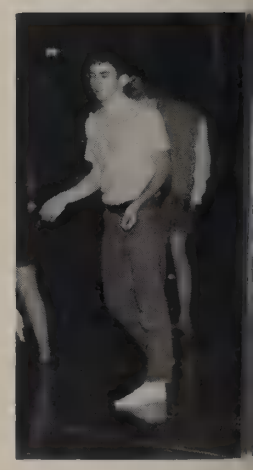
Mitzie Walker
Randi Parker
Annette Veenstra
Kathy Gwinner
Erling Parlova
Manuel Perez

"The Widows Plight"
By Louise Helliwell and
Marion Willoughby

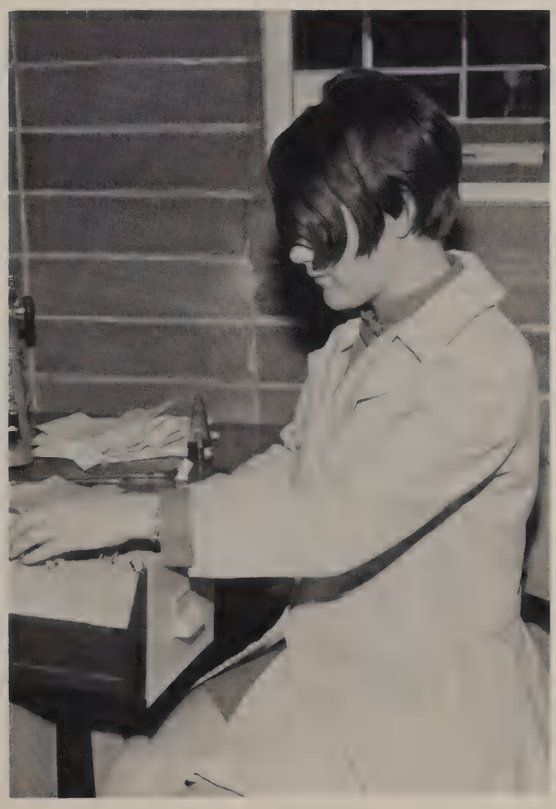
Karen Byram
Shirley Smith
Kris Holliday
Roy Stevens
Don Boyd
John Zylstra
Karen Pfannenstiel
Shelley Burkhart
Pat Stephens

Underclassmen

"He that rides behind another must not think to guide."
Thomas Fuller



SCHOOL BUS
BLUEBIRD



Juniors . . .

Preparing to direct, following in the steps to success . . . .

OFFICERS: Mrs. Grace Kenoyer, S. Rhea, M. Buchholz, J. Bartok, T. O'Hara, J. Beard.

The Juniors took their first step into the new year by electing Mike Bucholz, president; John Bartok, vice-president; Sue Rhea, secretary; Terry O'Hara, treasurer; and Jeff Beard, class representative. Mrs. Kenoyer advised them throughout the year.

In the spring, the Junior What-Not was presented. The money raised by that was used to honor the Seniors at the Junior-Senior Banquet and the Junior-Senior Prom.

With experience behind them, they were prepared to take over as leaders in the following year.

FIRST ROW: D. Bakker, L. Foster, L. Carter, J. Doyle, D. Jones, K. Park, N. Sorensen, W. Jordan, L. Harrison, J. Bruner, D. Zimbelman, C. LaBounty, L. Harrison, R. McKissick, S. Lamm. SECOND ROW: B. Chasteen, C. King, K. Bird, D. Bame, C. Morgan, C. Sestrom, R. Westerberg, B. Castaneda, C. Meyer, R. Reese, B. McClue, V. Dohrman,

And there she goes!

Do I have to, guys???

C. DeJong, C. Barr, M. Cyr, M. Watts, C. Brooks. THIRD ROW: B. Bird, K. Bernardy, G. Shannon, A. Vandenhaak, E. Jacobson, B. Willkie, M. Tyas, M. Kelly, S. Austin, J. Perry, B. Matter, D. Weivoda, F. Loewen, S. Clark. FOURTH ROW: J. Butenschoen, S. Reilly, J. Stamn, S. Jensen, M. Joy, M. Munson, S. Weatherby, B. Gwinner, K. Myhre, A. Anderson, S. Bethke, M. Goss, M. Assink, S. Pfullmann, L. LaPlante, M. Melbo, C. Davis, M. Robson, A. Johnson. FIFTH ROW: T. Jansen, B. Guitteau, F. Furman, D. Bishop, R. Littleton, J. Bjornstad, J. Boehringer, J. Welch, J. Birdsell, R. Jansen, P. Sanchez, M. Bjornstad, R. Gottschalk, J. Strickler, V. Schow,, B. Hallmark, M. Crabtree.

That a boy, Rob!!

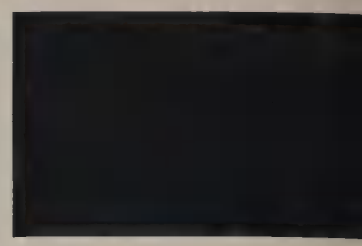
The loving Juniors!

The Sophomore class returned to Meridian for another great year, privileged to be high school beginners no longer. They enjoyed a fuller year of participation, having a big part in athletics, clubs, banquets, and homecomings.

At election time they chose Don Rhea for president; Carl Muencher, vice president; Pat Zwiers, secretary; Albert Larson, treasurer, and Guy Abbott, class representative; Mrs. Pedersen and Mr. Belka served as their advisors.

The Athletic Banquet was enjoyed by the boys who proved themselves worthy of the team by a long year of hard work. The girls served at the F.F.A. Banquet. Also they took a big part in the Mother's Tea.

All in all the Sophomores called it a great year and looked forward to their coming year as Juniors.

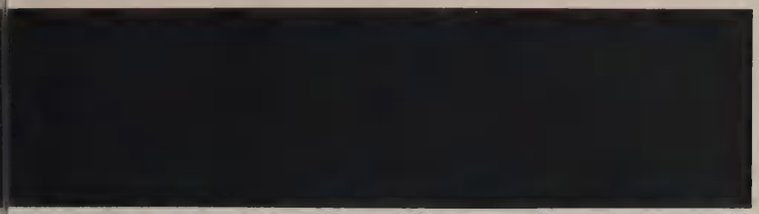


OFFICERS: Mrs. Petersen, P. Zwiers, C. Muenscher, G. Abbott, Mr. Belka, D. Rhea, A. Larsen

Sophomores . . .

Serving to support and providing enthusiasm for the benefit of all . . . .

FIRST ROW: G. Gansler, J. Taber, B. Markwood, R. Amos, R. Shockey, R. Forsberg, M. Minaker, R. Johnson, M. Davis, S. Burkhart, P. George, J. Murray, W. Snider; SECOND ROW: R. Lindgren, J. VanIderstine, P. Aarestad, P. Carruthers, S. Lunde, P. Stevens, J. Boehringer, M.



McKinney, M. Salazar, P. Sharp, J. Kvistad, M. Rauch, L. Nelson, B. Manthey, B. Koop, W. Pedersen; THIRD ROW: D. Kratzig, J.Hansen, J. Bacon, R. Anderson, M. Clark, K. Bunker, J. MacDonald, B. Birchall, A. Miles, V. Carlson, S. Granahan, K. Yoakum, D. Pullar; FOURTH ROW: D. Hanowell, D. Montgomery, B. Wilkerson, J. Stephens, J. Dunn, T. Beck, L. Benner, J. Harrison, N. Meyer, M. Holz, K. Roedell, L. Larson, R. Dunn, J. Foster, P. Perez.

Freshmen . . .
Building the foundation of leadership . . .
Henry Adams

They're at it again!

The freshman class dived into the high school activities with vigor, helping their upperclassmen on various committees. They showed enthusiasm in supporting and turning out for sports and played an important part in maintaining the school spirit.

Their officers for the year were Dave Anderson, president; Larry Chervenock, vice president, Patti Rhea, secretary; Elaine Chasteen, treasurer; and Kim Lundstrom, class representative. Their advisor for the year was Mr. Holland.

FIRST ROW: Officers: E. Chasteen, treasurer; K. Lundstrom, representative; P. Rhea, secretary. SECOND ROW: L. Chervenock, vice president; D. Anderson, president.

FIRST ROW: C. Littlefield, J. Allbaugh, B. Veenstra, E.Vevag, G. Watts. SECOND ROW: C. Abbott, D. Gilmore, L. Belcoe, R. Johnson, N. Snider. THIRD ROW: A. Stamm, W. Sherwood, B. Wiens, D. Melos, W. Lindgren. FOURTH ROW: E. Foster, C. Schow, J. Bernardy, G. Larsen, M. Loewen. FIFTH ROW: M. Aamot, J. Julius, C. Pedersen, J. Goertz.

Are you sure this is the way Twiggy started???

Here comes Mr. K.!

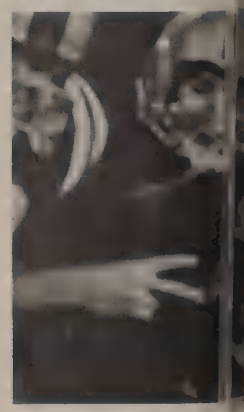
FIRST ROW: H. Wieland, B. Salas, M. Strickland, D. Buchholz. SECOND ROW: N. Everhart, R. Jansen, J. Moser, S. Hyink, D. Lankhaar. THIRD ROW: H. Strube, R. Jansen, T. O'Hara, S. Bruner, A. Millard. FOURTH ROW: R. Martin, D. Amos, L. Weidkamp, A. Sanchez, S. Swift. FIFTH ROW: S. Raymond, J. Smith, M. Rhea, R. Larson.

FIRST ROW: C. Larson, B. Carr, E. Nyhus, B. Haveman, G. Page. SECOND ROW: J. Klander, M. Crape, N. Brooks, J. VanDyke, N. Grahame. THIRD ROW: G. Hallmark, M. Moldenhauer, D. Morgan, S. Bethke, G. York. FOURTH ROW: J. Gwinner, J. Verkist, R. Rietman, J. Lovatt, S. Davenport. FIFTH ROW: B. Beard, F. Price, T. Parker, T. Parker, D. Walker. SIXTH ROW: S. Gitts, M. Koop, T. Sharp, K. Woods, D. Dale.

"A leader is best
when people barely
know that he exists . . . ."

Laotzu

Clubs



Annual

The Trojan staff members: Kathy Sandall, editor; Kris Holliday, copy editor; Annette Veenstra, co-copy editor; Janet Wieland, business manager; Randi Parker, art editor; Shelley Burkhart, senior editor; Steve Austin, junior assistant; Marlene Watts, junior assistant; Mrs. Frances Adams, advisor; started the year by soliciting for advertisements to help pay for the 1968-1969 yearbook.

As the 14th of November drew nearer, work parties were held to meet the first deadline. With that deadline the annual slowly took shape. Helping the staff were John Zylstra and Nels Kalhovde as photographers.

After the fourth deadline, the staff was able to concentrate on the last proofreading. Finally came the time for the unveiling of the annual to judge if all the effort was worthwhile.

CLOCKWISE: K. Holliday, R. Parker, A. Veenstra, S. Austin, M. Watts, J. Wieland, K. Standal.

Hard at work.

Staff with advisor, Mrs. Adams.

Paper Staff

The Trojan Courier was published every three weeks under the supervision of Mr. Donald Wenke. The objective was to expand beyond the limits of the school and become a community newspaper. The small journalism staff worked overtime in order to produce the paper.

Mike Weidkamp was editor; Frank Sprague, sports editor; Necia Parker, Debbi Claxton, Carol Sestrom, and Jo Ellen Taber gathered news. Vicki Dohrman transferred at the semester but Kendall Dobiash stepped in to take her place. Karen Pfannenstiel and Necia Parker doubled as typists and members of Mr. Wise's class mimeographed the paper.

The exchange papers had a very wide scope this year, bigger than ever. Papers were received from Ketchikan, Alaska, to Newbury Park, California; Camas Valley, Oregon, to Brooklyn, New York.

CLOCKWISE: D. Claxton, N. Parker, M. Weidkamp, V. Dohrman, C. Sestrom, K. Pfannenstiel, F. Sprague.

Finished.

Advisor, Mr. Wenke

The paper in its making.

The paper at press.

OFFICE ASSISTANTS–FIRST ROW: L. Richardson, C. Beck, C. King, S. Merrell, J. Sires, S. Abbott. SECOND ROW: S. Smith, G. Forsberg, L. Wistoski, M. Assink, K, Myhre, K. Gwinner.

Busy at work.

Office, Teachers' and Library Assistants

TEACHERS' ASSISTANTS–ROW ONE: M. Perez, J. Beard, K. Park, R. Fleming, M. Buchholz. SECOND ROW: B. Hallmark, J. Wieland, A. Veenstra, N. Parker, C. Barr, S. Reilly, M. Cyr, V. Schow. THIRD ROW: S. Smith, K. Pfannenstiel, A. Butenschoen, K. Bird, R. Westerberg, C.Amos, K. Everhart, S. Bethke.

LIBRARY ASSISTANTS–SITTING: M. Crabtree, Mrs. Adams, librarian. STANDING: C. Davis, M. Robinson, J. Strickler, S. Clark, C. DeJong, V. Dohrman.

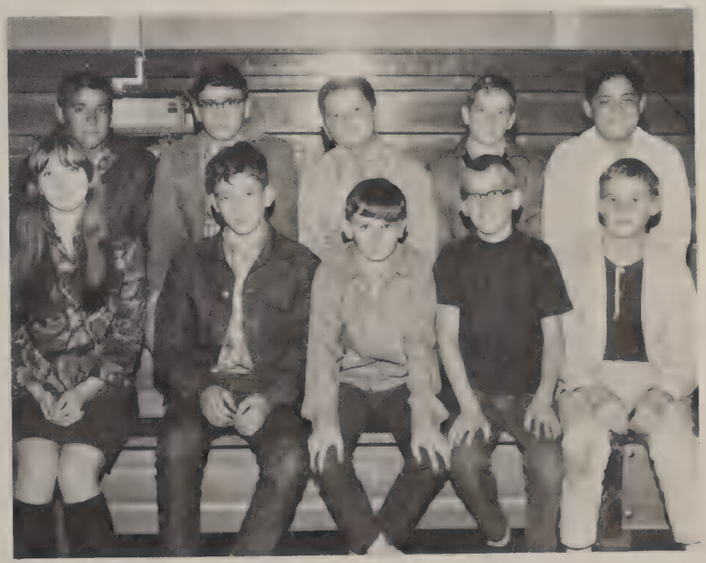
M. Davis, M. Walker, M. Crabtree, S. Pfullman, M. Erickson, R. Anderson, D. Zimbelman

Advisor, Mr. Wise; M. Walker, Secretary-Treasurer; M. Crabtree, President; D. Zimbelman, Vice President.

Rifle Club

"The line is ready . . . load . . . ready on the firing line . . . commence firing." These commands were heard many times from the old gym while the members were trying for higher qualifications. The qualifications were divided into six levels: Pro-Marksman, Marksman, Marksman First Class, Sharpshooter-bars 1-9, Expert, and Distinguished Expert. The Meridian Rifle Club Team had a shooting match with the Custer Sportsmanship Club Team at their new range. Afterwards refreshments of pop, coffee, and donuts were served. The club sold football programs to raise money for ammunition.

FIRST ROW: J. Taber, J. Higgins, R. Garza, SECOND ROW: R. Clark, D. Woods, J. Carruthers.



FIRST ROW: D. Weivoda, D. Forsberg, K. Stamm, D. Gorsegner. SECOND ROW: R. Parsons, J. Moldenhauer, J. Jones, D. Nilsen, R. Garza.

Drill Team . . .

The Drill Team was led by Leila Richardson, captain; Karen Myhre, first lieutenant; and Karen Pfannensteil, second lieutenant. The advisors were Mrs. Patricia Vickerman and Mr. Dale Merrell. The girls practiced long hard hours to participate in the Drill Team Conference in Bellevue. During the year they marched at games, at the Ten Mile Grange, and in many parades including Leavenworth, Victoria, and Blossom Time.

At the beginning of the year, the Drill Team awarded Mrs. Mary Rowe a gift for her help in the past years.

Chin up, chest out.

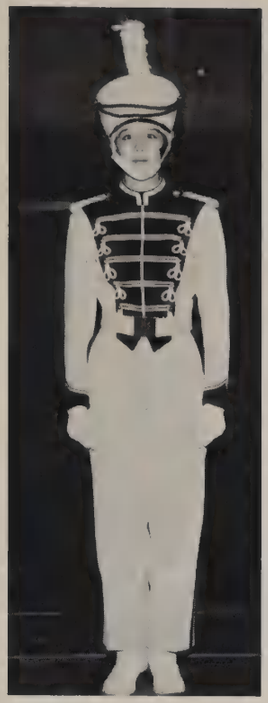
OFFICERS: K. Myhre, L. Richardson, K. Pfannenstiel

ADVISOR: Mr. Dale Merrell

ADVISOR: Mrs. Patricia Vickerman

SQUAD ONE: S. Reilly, N. Parker, B. Hallmark, S. Rhea.

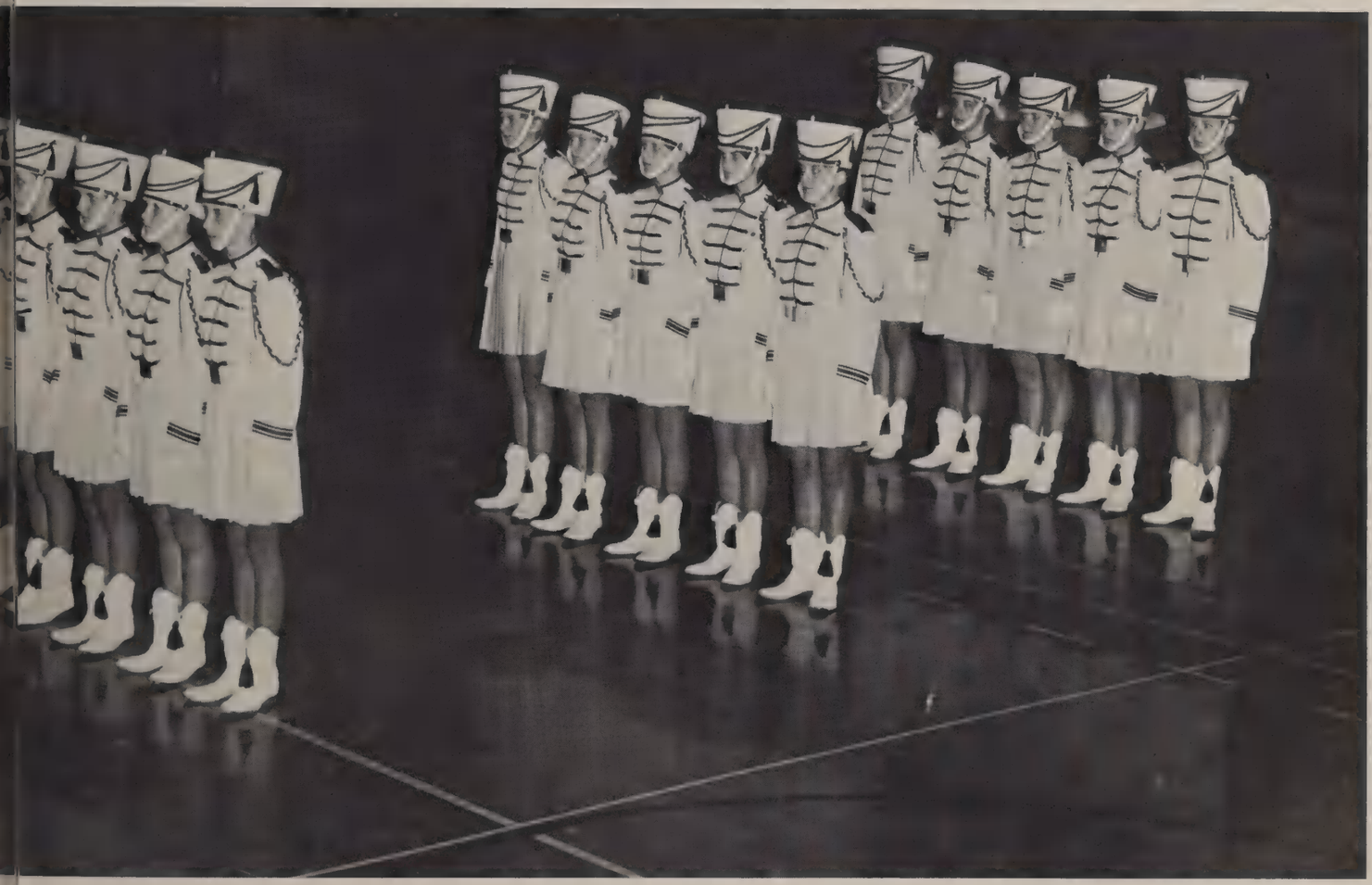
Color Guard
B. Colman



Color Guard
R. Pratt

Color Guard
J. Kvistad

Color Guard
K. Lundstrom



QUAD TWO: D. Amos, C. Schow, E. hasteen, P. Rhea, J. Gwinner.

SQUAD THREE: M. Rauch, A. Butenschoen, N. Meyer, J. Harrison, C. Zimbelman.

SQUAD FOUR: R. Westerberg, K. Gwinner, J. Butenschoen, J. Bernardy, M. Watts.

Future Homemakers of America

F.H.A. members were guided by two objectives-"Jobs, Careers and You" and "Good Family Relations Through Communications." Their projects included telling stories to grade school children and Christmas caroling. Their officers were: president, Annette Veenstra; vice president, Maureen Assink; secretary, Shirley Smith; treasurer, Carmeille King; reporter, MaryJane Goss; degree chairman, Kris Holliday; historian, Mary McKinney; parlimentarian, Lynette Benner; recreation leader, Gerry Forsberg; representative, Jill Verkist; ice cream, Connie Zimbelman, Aleda Anderson, Bonnie Castaneda; and advisor, Mrs. Jesse Emerson.

OFFICERS: Mrs. Emerson, A. Veenstra, M. Assink, S. Smith. SECOND ROW: J. Verkist, K. Holliday, M. McKinney, L. Benner, G. Forsberg. THIRD ROW: C. King, M. Goss, C. Zimbelman, A. Anderson, B. Castaneda.

FIRST ROW: L. LaPlante, P. Stevens, L. Weidkamp, J. Boehringer, M. Salazar, P. Sharp, C. Amos, R. Johnson. SECOND ROW: T. Beck, J. Stephens, J. Dunn, J. Van Iderstine, R. Lindgren, B. George, S. Merrell, R. Parker. THIRD ROW: K. Standal, B. Hallmark, C. Schow, D. Lankhaar, N. Snider, N. Parker, J. Harrison, D. Amos, J. Sires, L. Johnson. FOURTH ROW: V. Schow, S. Bethke, M. Watts, D. Bame, R. Jansen, R. Westerberg, J. Bernardy, M. Joy, S. Weatherby.

FIRST ROW: G. Page, R. Anderson, D. Kratzig, S. Raymond, T. Parker. SECOND ROW: D. Zimbelman, J. Boehringer, S. Hanowell, J. Beard, K. Bernardy, G. Abbott. THIRD ROW: F. Furman, P. George, R. Larson, B. Veenstra, M. Aamot, R. Amos. FOURTH ROW: L. Harrison, R. Guitteau, T. Parker, L. Chervenock, W. Koop, D. Bishop.

OFFICERS: Mr. Holland, S. Rhea, T. Lintz, N. Verkist, F. Robson, P. Stephens, D. Dickson.

Future Farmers of America

The F.F.A. accomplished some outstanding work which was made possible by the leadership of president, Tim Lintz; vice president, Pat Stephens; secretary, Fred Robson; treasurer, Nyle Verkist; reporter, Dale Dickson; and sentinel, Brian Haveman.

The F.F.A. members sold poinsettias before Christmas to earn money for the annual Spring F.F.A. banquet.

For the first time in Meridian's history, three boys represented the school at the National Convention of F.F.A. They were Tim Lintz and Nyle Verkist, seniors, Dale Dickson, junior.

FIRST ROW: Officers, C. Beck, M. Goss, K. Myhre. SECOND ROW: Mrs. Fisher, M. Assink, M. Watts, S. Smith.

What are little girls made of?

Girls' Club

The first objective of Girls' Club was to purchase a silver tea service for the use of the student body at various teas and banquets. To help pay for it, hot dogs were sold at all home football games.

This year's officers were Karen Myhre, president; Mary Jane Goss, vice-president; Lynette Benner, secretary; Maureen Assnik, treasurer; and Shirley Smith and Marlene Watts, points chairmen. Mrs. Fisher was their advisor.

FIRST ROW: M. Watts, J. Taber, L. Belcoe, C. Abbott, S. Hyink, D. Lankhaar. SECOND ROW: C. Morgan, R. Westerberg, B. Castanada, C. Sestrom, R. Reese, B. McClue. THIRD ROW: C. Schow, K. Lundstrom, E. Chasteen, P. Rhea.

FIRST ROW: M. Holz, R. Jansen, M. Loewen, C. Barr, M. Cyr, D. Bame, C. Brooks, J. Dunn, J. Stephens, R. Dunn, J. Boehringer, M. McKinney, M. Salazar, D. Hanowell, P. Carruthers, M. Rauch. SECOND ROW: D. Davenport, M. Robinson, L.Wistoski, L. Benner, K. Bird, L. LaPlante, D. Weivoda, M. Prendergast, S. Pfullmann, L. Richardson, S. Burkhart, J. Butenschoen, S. Reilly, S. Smith, G. Forsberg. THIRD ROW: C. Morgan, R. Lindgren, P. Aarestad, T. Beck, B. Chasteen, V. Schow, C. King, P. Sharp, J. Gwinner, J. Verkist, N. Parker, K. Pfannenstiel, J. Klander, L. Weidkamp, STANDING: K. Myhre.

Big M Club

Under the advisor, Mr. Roy Grady, the Big M Club elected the following officers: Bill Freeman, president; Bob Weatherby, vice president; John Bartok, secretary; Dan Manthey, treasurer; and Ron Fleming, club representative. All the members of Big "M" Club must have earned a letter in at least one sport. They sponsored a dance and a community drawing to earn money for the Video-tape.

FIRST ROW: Mr. Grady, B. Weatherby, B. Freeman, D. Manthey. SECOND ROW: J. Bartok, C. Thompson, R. Fleming.

FIRST ROW: D. Boyd, D. Crnich, B. Freeman, R. McKissick, D. Manthey. SECOND ROW: K. Bernardy, B. Weatherby, J. Beard, M. Buchholz, D. Jones. THIRD ROW: J. Bartok, D. Bakker, R. Fleming, B. Bird, T. O'Hara, A. Miles. FOURTH ROW: G. Neevel, C. Thompson, G. Bass, J. Perry, G. Shannon. FIFTH ROW: J. Welch, M. Perez, L. Foster, B. Guitteau, W. Jordan, J. McDonald.

How many lettermen can you pile in a G.M.C.?

Queen Curt and his royal court.

Would anyone like a walnetto?

Cheerleaders

This year's cheerleaders were very active under the leadership of Cheer Queen Kris Holliday and advisor Donald Wenke. They provided skits for the entertainment of the student body, and supported the school at all extracurricular activities. The cheerleaders also sponsored Basketball Homecoming Week and decorated for the spring Athletic Banquet.

Cheerleaders: Jill Geleynse, Kris Holliday, Randi Parker.

Cheerleaders: Sharon Abbott, Bev Chasteen, Sue Rhea.

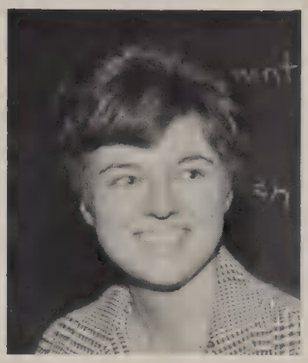
TOP TO BOTTOM: Advisor, Mr. Wenke, B. Chasteen, J. Geleynse, S. Rhea, R. Parker, S. Abbott, K. Holliday.

FIRST ROW, Officers: J. Dunn, M. Watts, S. Smith, SECOND ROW: A. Veenstra, R. Westerberg, C. King, K. Holliday.

Pep Club

The Pep Club started the year with Shirley Smith, president; Marlene Watts, vice-president; Jenny Dunn, secretary; Roxie Westerberg, treasurer; Carmeille King, parliamentarian; and Annette Veenstra and Kris Holliday, points chairmen. Their advisor was Miss Joan Osterholt.

They cheered their team on to victory and honored them with a banquet at the end of the sport season. They also sponsored the Basketball Homecoming. To make these activities possible, they sold hot cocoa, coffee, and apples at the games. They also sold booster buttons and bubble bath during the school year.



Joan Osterholt, advisor

FIRST ROW: B. Chasteen, S.Rhea, S. Abbott, J. Geleynse, R. Parker, K. Holliday. SECOND ROW: B. Hallmark, M. Goss, C. Meyer, B. McClue, B. Reese, B. Manthey. THIRD ROW: T. Beck, C. Zimbelman, C. Brooks, D. Bame, N. Meyer, M. Holz, S. Lunde. FOURTH ROW: L. Nelson, J. Stephens, M. Salazar, K. Gwinner, K. Byram, C. Beck, K. Pfannenstiel. FIFTH ROW: M. Assink, J. Bernardy, P. Rhea, E. Chasteen, C. Schow, R. Dunn.

Torch Club

The Torch Club was led by Shelley Burkhart, president; John Zylstra, vice-president; and Maureen Assink, secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Dawn Everett advised them throughout the year. At Christmas time they brightened the school by decorating a Christmas tree and putting it in the cafeteria.

OFFICERS: M. Assink, J. Zylstra, S. Burkhart.

Advisor
Dawn Everett

FIRST ROW: D. Rhea, R. Gottschalk, E. Parlova, K. Myhre, C. Davis, R. Rietman, J. Beard, D. Manthey, G. Neevel, D. Boyd, R. Stevens. SECOND ROW: L. Weidkamp, M. Crape, J. Verkist, C. King, B. McClue, J. Moser, L. Belcoe, P. Zwiers, E. Chasteen, L. Benner, M. Goss, J. Dunn, J. Wieland. THIRD ROW: S. Austin, N. Brooks, R. Littleton, F. Sprague, D. Claxton, E. Nyhus, J. Allbaugh, M. Moldenhauer, W. Lindgren, S. Burkhart, G. Gansler, D. Chasteen. FOURTH ROW: R. Parker, K. Holliday, C. Schow, P. Aarestad, R. Lindgren, S. Merrell, M. Watts, C. Brooks, J. Gwinner, K. Lundstrom, G. Forsberg, C. Morgan, D. Davenport, M. Munson.

Girls' Athletic Association

The G.A.A. officers for this year were Bev Chasteen, president; Bev Hallmark, vice-president; Karen Bird, secretary; Sue Rhea, points Chairman; and Terrie Beck, concession chairman. Their advisor was Mrs. Patricia Vickerman.

The girls participated in many different tournaments throughout the year.

Advisor
Patricia Vickerman

FIRST ROW, Officers: B. Chasteen, J. Dunn. SECOND ROW: K. Bird, B. Hallmark. THIRD ROW: T. Beck.

Student Council

This years student council was led by vice-president D. Crnich, secretary K. Holliday, treasurer S. Merrell, publicity manager R. Parker, and Mr. Kratz advisor.

Each class was represented as well as each club and home room. Meetings were held on Tuesday of each week where school problems were discussed. Exchange students were sent to other county schools and received as guests to our own school.

FIRST ROW: D. Boyd, D. Crnich, K. Holliday, R. Parker, S. Merrell. SECOND ROW: J. Zylstra, B. Freeman, J. Beard, R. Fleming, G. Abbott, S. Burkhart. THIRD ROW: M. Assink, C. King, S. Rhea, C. Muenscher, J. MacDonald, D. Rhea, A. Miles. FOURTH ROW: M. Watts, K. Myhre, S. Smith, L. Johnson, D. Claxton, F. Sprague, D. Anderson. FIFTH ROW: A. Veenstra, K. Lundstrom, C. Schow, P. Rhea, E. Chasteen, J. Harrison, M. Salazar.

The French policeman.

FIRST ROW: B. Wilkerson, P. Bolan, M. Crape, J. Moser, M. Walker, S. Lunde. SECOND ROW: M. Rauch, J. Kvistad, M. Salazar, L. Benner, F. Loewen, L. Nelson. THIRD ROW: E. Chasteen, P. Rhea, S. Rhea, P. Zwiers, J. Stephens, B. Manthey.

Band

The Meridian High School Band participated in many exciting events throughout the year. Under director Dale Merrell, they performed in the annual Christmas Program.

Deciding to try something new, the band and chorus classes held a Love-In. The Love-In turned out to be a very successful variety show.

OFFICERS: F. Sprague, president; E. Vandenhaak, vice-president; L. Harrison, secretary; C. Hawley, treasurer; Mr. Merrell, advisor.

FIRST ROW: B. Castaneda, K. Everhart, P. Zwiers, J. Harrison, K. Myhre, C. DeJong, D. Hanowell, J. Moser, M. Crape. SECOND ROW: D. Anderson, C. Callen, K. Bunker, J. Bruner, D. Rhea, E. Nyhus, G. Forsberg, S. Pfullmann, E. Parlova. THIRD ROW: B. Wilkerson, J. Verkist, R. McKissick, C. Muenscher, D. Walker, L. Harrison, B. McClue. M. Robson, B. Haveman, R. Rietman. STANDING: D. Bakker, C.

Majorettes

The majorettes marched with the band at the parades and performed at all the games.

Majorettes: S. Jensen, C. Beck, B. Gwinner.

Chorus

This year's chorus under the direction of Mr. Dale Merrell participated in many events.

Aside from the annual Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Spring Concerts the chorus and band presented a variety show entitled "Love In." The money raised from this presentation went toward the purchase of new band uniforms.

FIRST ROW: B. Chasteen, C. Meyer, M. Walker, P. Bolan, A. Anderson. SECOND ROW: C. Davis, V. Schow, K. Pfannenstiel, K. Bird, K. Standal. THIRD ROW: B. Manthey, N. Meyer, K. Byram, K. Myhre, L. Benner, J. Butenschoen. FOURTH ROW: L. Harrison, S. Rhea, D. Bakker, S. Weatherby, L. Johnson.

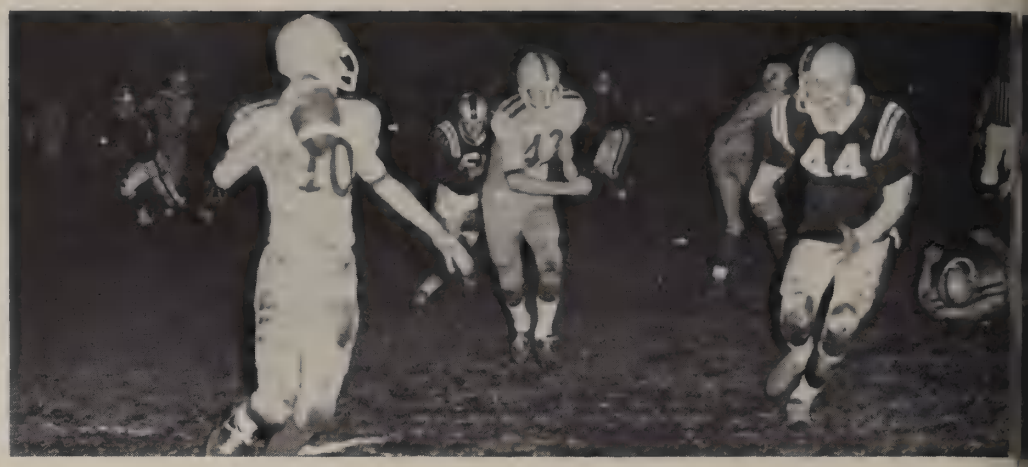
Hawley, W. Pederson, F. Sprague, K. Woods, F. Robson, J. VanDyk, T. Sharp.

FIRST ROW: B. Gwinner, S. Reilly, P. Stevens, M. Melbo, J. Geleynse, B. Hallmark. SECOND ROW: M. Robson, A. Johnson, C. Beck, K. Gwinner, M. Joy, K. Everhart, J. Kvistad. THIRD ROW: G. Bass, J. Smith, C. Hawley, E. Vandenhaak, R. Westerberg, D. Guyer.

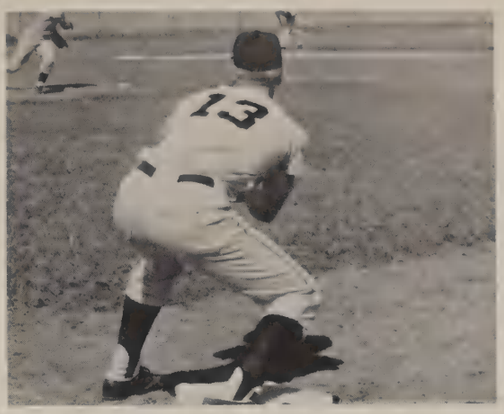
Accompianist: S. Bethke, M. Munson.

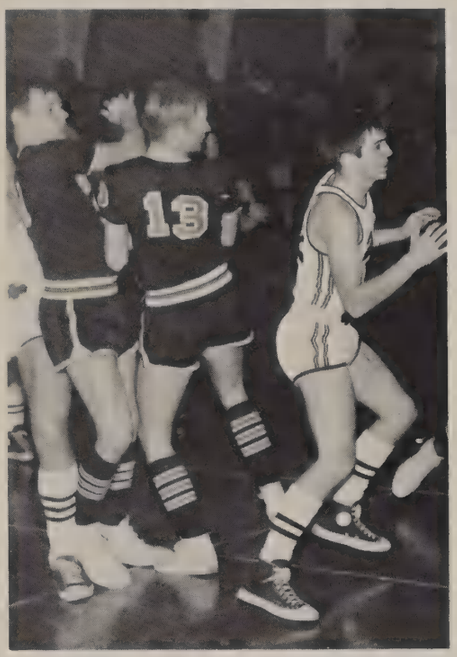
"Whoever is foremost, leads . . . ."

Schiller



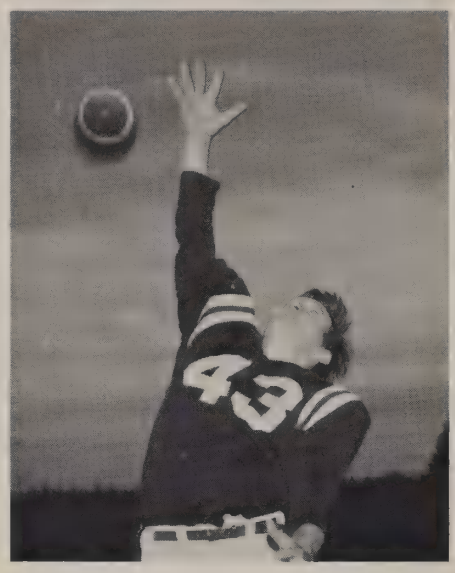
50


13


13

81

Meridian Trojan Football Heroes . . .



Bob Bird
End

Mr. John Abbott
Coach

Don Boyd
Halfback

Ken Bernardy
Tackle

Ron Fleming
End

Curt Thompson
Tackle

Robert McKissick
Center

Mr. Bruce Taubenheim
Asst. Coach

John Smith
Guard

Dave Crnich
Fullback

Gary Bass
Halfback

Bob Weatherby
End

Gary Shannon
Halfback

Duane Bakker
Guard

Gordon Neevel
Guard

Our Squad Performs Th

FIRST ROW: R. Anderson, P. Sanchez, G. Abbott, B. Birchall, D. Jones, A. Larsen, J. Perry, W. Jordan, C. Muenscher, V. Carlson, J. McDonald, B. Guitteau, S. Granahan, M. Clark, J. Bartok, T. O'Hara. SECOND ROW: J. Smith, B. Weatherby, D. Manthey, G. Neevel, C.

Under Head Coach John Abbott and Assistant Coach Bruce Taubenheim, fired up from last season, the team started out looking for a W.C.L. title. In preparation for the season, 17 boys went to football camp during the summer. The season came on with the Trojans having 33 boys turning out, 11 from each class. The first game was with Stanwood, who was rated third in the state last year. The game was a Trojan victory which was followed by more. The Trojans strong line was an asset to equally strong backs which gave them a well balanced attack on the ground or air. Then the team suffered an extreme loss to their attack. Senior flanker, Bill Freeman, threw a key block in the Concrete game and broke his arm. After this, the squad was plagued with injuries. Terry O'Hara, team quarterback, broke his ankel which took even more sting out of the Trojan attack. Homecoming was for the home team and the Trojans took Lynden 25-0 which brightened the night. Three backs received jerseys for gaining over 100 yards. They were Seniors Bill Freeman, Don Boyd and Dave Crnich. Halfback Don Boyd was star ground gainer with blocking from a fine line and fullback Dave Crnich. Boyd gained 1200 yards, a goal never attained by a Meridian High School grid star. Honorary Captain was Don Boyd and the Inspirational Player was Dave Crnich.

ee Upsets In One Season!

n, R. Fleming, G. Bass, G. Shannon, D. Crnich, B. Bird, D. Bernardy, R. McKissick, D. Bakker, A. Miles, J. Bacon.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

	DATE		MHS	OPP.
Sept.	13	Stanwood	14	6
Sept.	20	Concrete	14	0
Sept.	27	Sultan	38	7
Oct.	4	Lynden Christian	32	6
Oct.	11	Blaine	0	19
Oct.	18	Mt. Baker	7	27
Oct.	25	Nooksack	13	13
Nov.	1	Lynden	25	0
Nov.	8	Langley	0	33

Go get 'em, Trojans!

INJURED PLAYERS: Bill Freeman and Terry O'Hara.

We are the linemen for the county....

O. J. Boyd going for another touchdown!

Go-o-o-o-o-o-o-o-o-o—TROJANS!!

We've got that spirit!

What are you waiting for????

Get 'em Albey!

And they said we couldn't win!

Bowlegs are the best legs!

Pay me to shave off my beard, and I'll even try harder!!!!

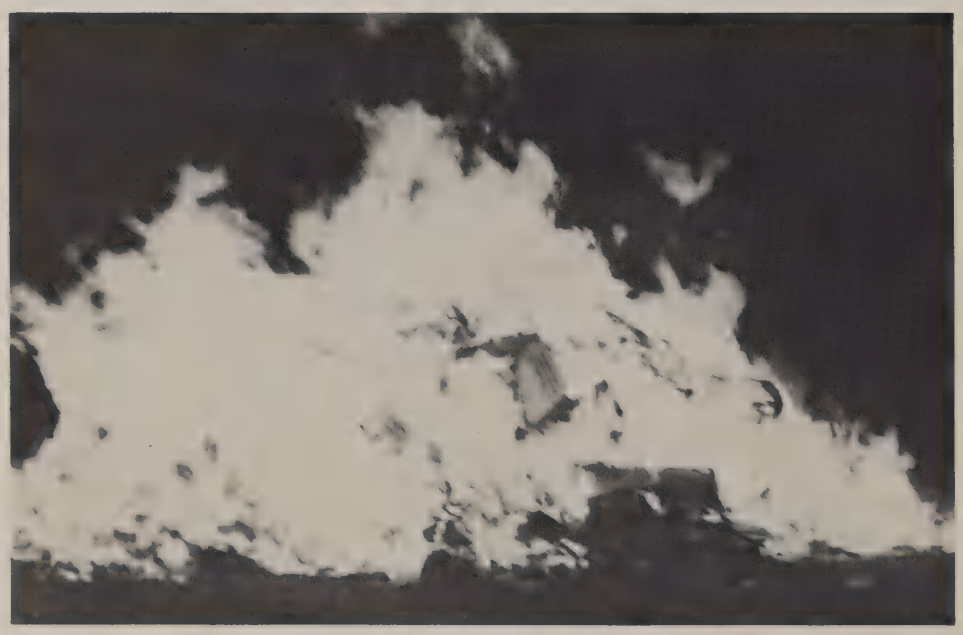
Who said football is girl's play?

Hang on, toot!!

Meridian Football

Queen: Judy Sires
Escort: Gordon Neevel

Junior Princess: Marsha Munson
Escort: Robert McKissick



Smile, you're on.

Juniors win by a chicken.

Homecoming 1969

Sophomore Princess: Nancy Meyer
Escort: Carl Muenscher

Freshman Princess: Kim Lundstrom
Escort: Larry Chervenock

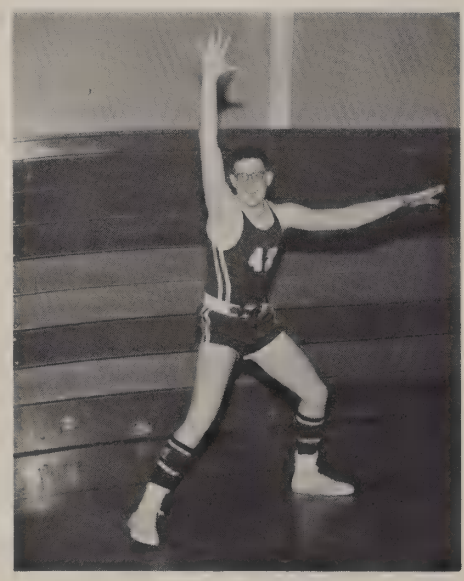
Yup, Yup, we won the game.

I should have danced all night.

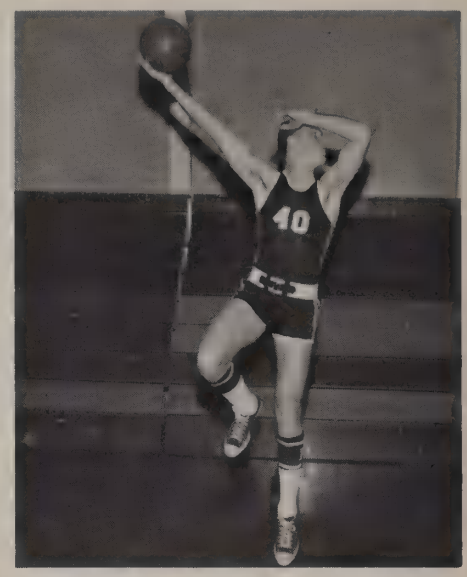
Basketball 1969 . . .

Roy Grady
Coach

Jeff Beard
Forward

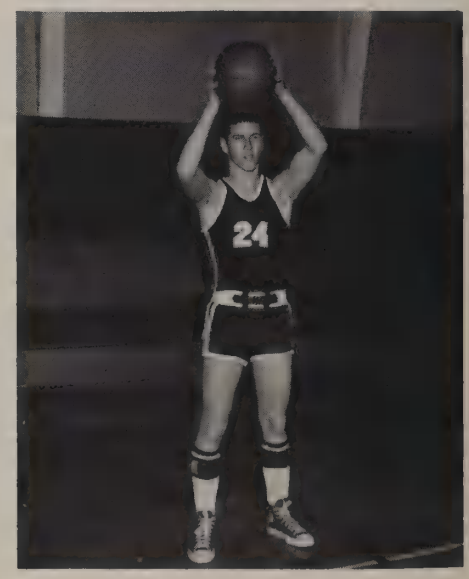


Art Miles
Center



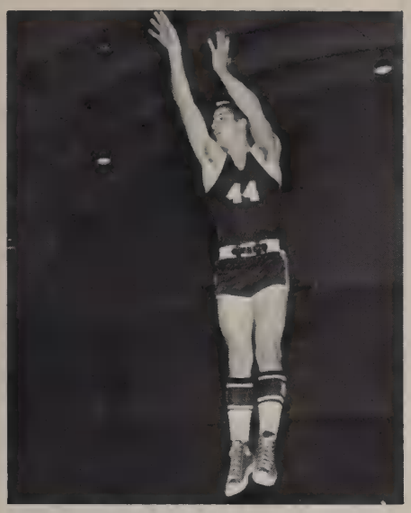
Ron Fleming
Center

Don Boyd
Guard

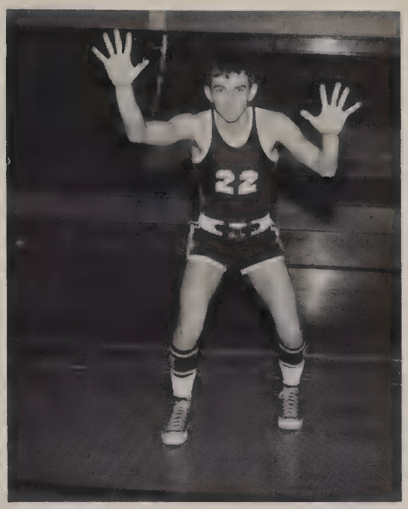


Dan Manthey
Forward

Meridian Upsets Lynden 61-60



Dave Crnich
Center



Gary Shannon
Guard

Richard Belka
Assistant Coach

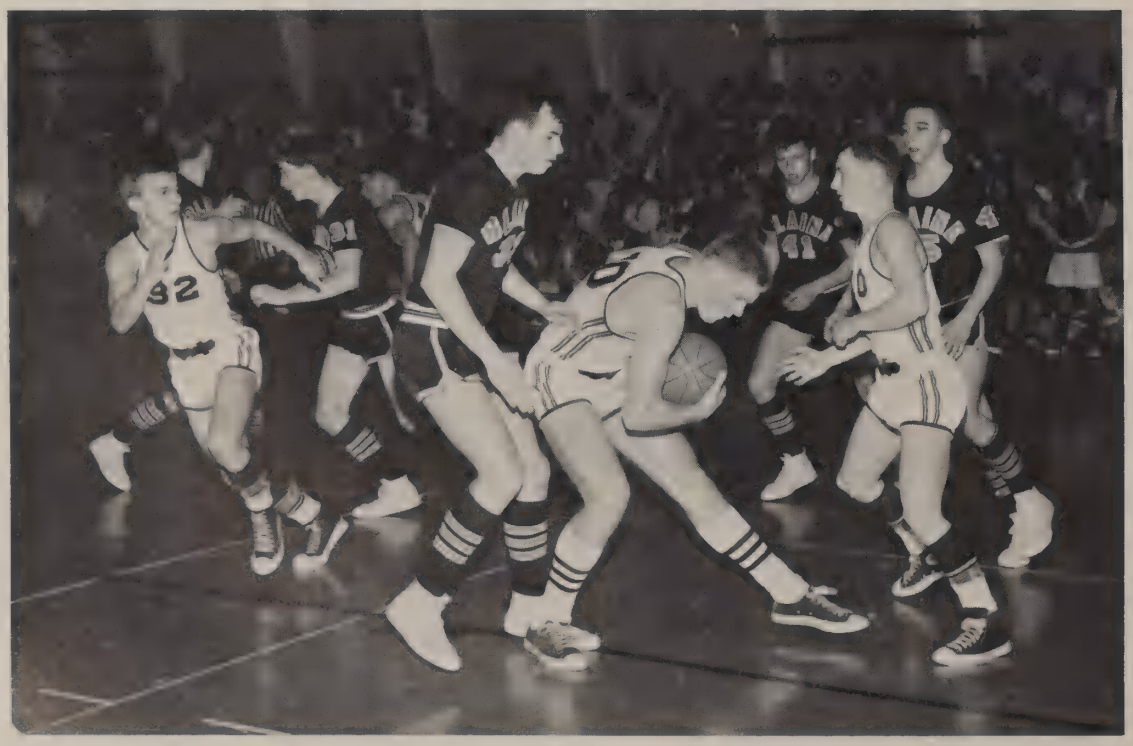
Mike Buchholz
Guard

Albert Larsen
Forward

Bob Bird
Guard

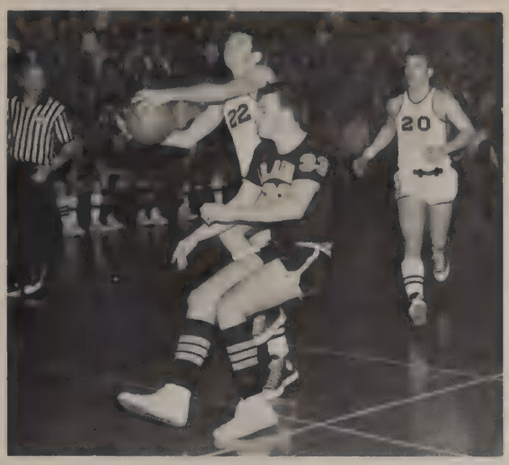
The Mr. Americas of Meridian High.

Up, up and away.

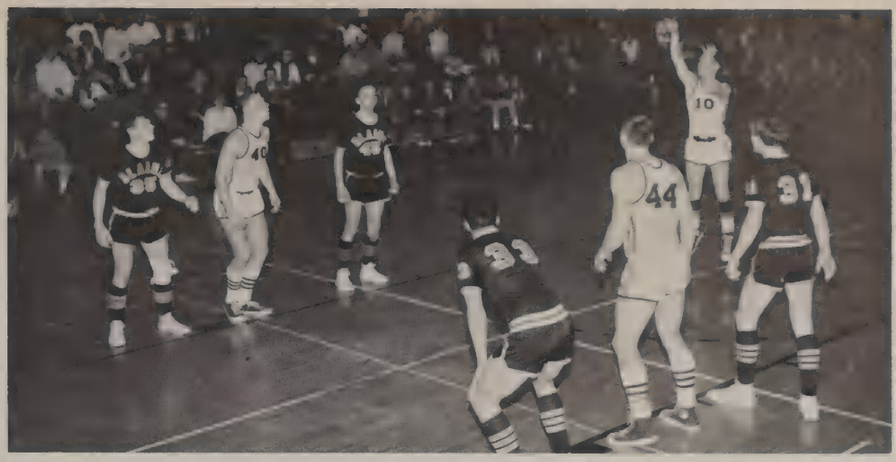


He'd rather fight than switch.

Wow! Isn't this excitin



Donny to the rescue.



I wonder ? ? ? ?

Who are you looking at, Kris?

S-t-r-e-t-c-h-!

It's a bird–it's a plane–no, it's a basketball game.

MERIDIAN TAKES

VARSITY: B. Bird, G. Shannon, D. Manthey, D. Crnich, R. Fleming, A. Miles, J. Beard, M. Buchholz, D. Boyd.
CENTER: Coach, R. Grady, manager, M. Kelly.

Lynden Christian
Langley
Monroe
*Lynden Christian
Monroe
*Mt. Baker
*Nooksack
Stanwood
Washougal
Langley
*Blaine
*Lynden
*Lynden Christian
*Mt. Baker
*Nooksack
*Lynden
*Concrete
*Blaine
*Concrete

The Meridian Trojan Basketball team was led by the new coach, Mr. Roy Grady. Mr. Richard Belka coached the junior varsity. The squad was sparked on by the high scoring of captain Ron Fleming, outstanding rebounding of Dave Crnich, who averaged 14 rebounds per game, and very strong defense of guard Don Boyd. These three players helped contribute to the season's games of seven wins and eleven losses. Also contributing a great deal to the team were the efforts of Dan Manthey, Bob Bird, Mike Buchholz, Jeff Beard and Gary Shannon. Those players, except for senior Dan Mathey, will help make up the nucleus of next year's ball club.

Although they missed a berth at the district playoffs by one game, they came up with a first place trophy at their Christmas Tournament.

Just what I needed.

Leg

CHRISTMAS TOURNAMENT

OPPONENT	MERIDIAN
42	21
49	55
60	49
63	50
58	52
43	40
63	36
49	74
56	58
68	50
34	22
60	61
58	40
54	42
61	38
85	51
47	86
42	47
54	59

*League Games

Half-time show

JUNIOR VARSITY: B. Markwood, V. Carlson, L. Harrison, J. MacDonald, K. Bernardy, D. Dickson, J. Bacon, A. Larsen, B. Birchall. CENTER: Manager, D. Mumford, Coach, R. Belka.

Power

Meridian Basketball

Queen: Sylvia Merrell

Junior Princess: Maureen Assink

The moment!

Queen Sylvia and her court.

Homecoming 1969

Sophomore Princess: Judy Harrison

Freshman Princess: Patti Rhea

Please, I'd rather do it myself!

What's so funny?

Now what?!

Only one lap to go.

Track

The track team was coached by Mr. Dean Bame. There were twenty-six members making up the squad. Each member participated in various events at the track meets between the other schools.

Who needs P.F. flyers?

Now, this is a javelin!!!!

Up, up and over!!!

The Great American cover-up.

Go baby go!

Oops, I missed!

Just one more step.

Baseball

Sixteen boys turned out for the baseball squad. Due to the good weather, turn-out started early with most of the boys coming from the junior and sophomore classes. Coached by Mr. Les Knutsen the team played sixteen games.

All right, you guys, let's play ball.

I'm wanted by Charlie Brown.

Coach

My first home run.

School Spirit

Our industrious workers.

And away we go!

Is it 13 or 14, Linda?

Our Miss Tressy

I wonder?

Mount Baker at Meridian

They're at it again.

If only a camera could talk.

Duck! Here comes another toasted cheese sandwich!!!

Next, we'll do the flutter fling.

And the ants go marching on.

Would you believe the

And then there were six pretty girls.

It sure is a nice day today.

Touchdown!

Our Leader

Gab session is now in order.

leaders of tomorrow?

There once was a woman who lived in a shoe...

Step 1-2-3

Wow. Isn't this fun.

How the wind howls and blows.

Slimmer, wouldn't you say?

Smiley

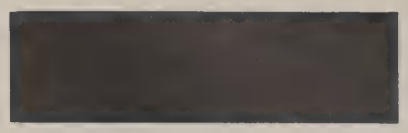
That's funny!

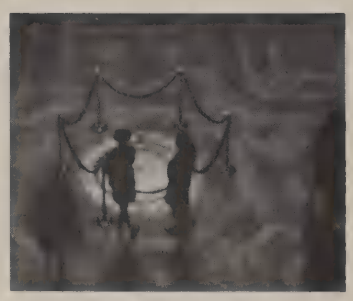
"The deeds of the leader shall live . . . ."

Ovid

The Great Escape

Let it snow! Let it snow! Let it snow!





The Seal of Washington

Welcome to Laurel Country

There must be an easier way.

I don't know about you guys, but I'm leading an innocent life!

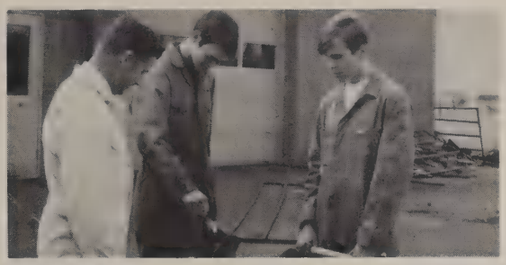
Did you forget your speech, Mike?

HELP!

Stronger than dirt!

Teachers sure can be slave drivers!

Type one. Type two. Ugh! Ugh!



I wonder if it really works?

Our Capitol

Chewy Chewy

Not on her head, Bobbity.

Senior Directory

SHARON LYNNE ABBOTT
(Cher)
Homecoming Princess 2; F.H.A. 1,2; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Cheerleader 3,4; Teacher's Aid 3,4

GARY LEE BASS
(Bassor)
Big M Club 2,3,4; Student Council 1; Basketball 1,2,3; Football 4; Baseball 1,2,4; Track 1; Chorus 1,3,4

CINDY LEE BECK

Majorette 3,4; F.H.A. 1; G.A.A. 1; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Office Aid 4; Teacher's Aid 4; Chorus 3,4; Jr. Whatnot Student Director 3; Senior Play 4

LYNDELL BULA BENNER
Transferred from Bellingham, Washington
F.H.A. 2,3,4; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Jr. Whatnot 3; Chorus 2,3,4

RUSSELL G. BERGSTROM
(Russ)
F.F.A. 4; Rifle Club 4; Library Aid 4

PATTI DIANE BOLAN
Transferred from Memphis, Tennessee
Girls' Club 4; Pep Club 4; G.A.A. 4; Senior Play 4; F.H.A. 4

DONALD EUGENE BOYD
(Donny)
A.S.B. President 4; Big M Club 2,3,4; Torch Club 2,3,4; Freshman Class President, Football 2,3,4; Basketball 3,4; Track 3; Boys' State 3; Senior Play 4

MICHAEL RICHARD BOZICH
(Mike)
Transferred from Fresno, California

SHELLEY ANN BURKHART
(Super Shell)
Annual Staff 1,2,3,4; Jr. Whatnot Chairman 3; Homecoming Princess 3; Drill Team 2,3; F.H.A. 1,2,3; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3; Torch Club 1,2,3,4; Torch Club President 4; Senior Play 4

ALANA KAY BUTENSCHOEN

Homecoming Princess 1; Drill Team 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1; G.A.A. 1,2; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Teacher's Aid 4

KAREN CHRISTINE BYRAM
Transferred from Pemberton, New Jersey
Girls' Club 4; Pep Club 4; Chorus 4; Senior Play 4

CLEO C. CALLEN
Transferred from Wendell, Idaho
Jr. Whatnot 3; Band 3,4

DEBBI JANE CLAXTON
Transferred from Bellingham, Washington
Girls' Club 3,4; Student Council 4; Jr. Whatnot 3; Teacher's Aid 3; Paper Staff 4; Senior Play 4

DAVID LLOYD CRNICH
(Pollock)
A.S.B. Vice-President 4; Big M Club 2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2; Sophomore Class President 2; Student Council 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2; Track 2,3,4; Boy of the Year 3

DAGNA LORRAINE DAVENPORT

Torch Club 2,3,4; Chorus 2

CARL STEVEN DAVIS

Big M Club 2; Basketball 2; Football 2; Track 1

KAREN ELIZABETH EVERHART
(Kar)
Transferred from Oak Harbor, Washington
Girls' Club 3,4; Library Aid 3; Teacher's Aid 4; Chorus 3,4; Band 3,4

JON SCOTT FJELLMAN
(Scott)
Student Council 2; Stage Crew 3; Jr. Sr. Banquet 3

RON DAVID FLEMING
(Big Ron)
Big M Club 2,3,4; Torch Club 3; Student Council 3; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Teacher's Aid 4

GERALDINE ESTELLE FORSBERG
(Gerry)
Drill Team 3; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Torch Club 3,4; Student Council 2; Teacher's Aid 4; Chorus 2; Band 3,4

WILLIAM RYAN FREEMAN
(Bill)
Big M Club President 4; Big M Club 2,3,4; Jr. Class President 3; Student Council 3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,2,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Chorus 1,2

ROBERT LOUIS GEBO
Transferred from Bellingham, Washington

JILL MARIE GELEYNSE
(Little Dutchy)
Homecoming Princess 1; Drill Team 2; Majorette 3; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 4; Cheerleader 4; Chorus 2,3,4

BEVERLY JUNE GEORGE
(Bev)
F.H.A. 1,2,4; G.A.A. 1,2; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 4; Jr. Whatnot 3; Senior Play 4

RICHARD GOTTSCHALK
(Rick)
Rifle Club 1; Football Manager 2; Senior Play 4

DELBERT EUGENE GUYER
(Del)
Transferred from Bellingham, Washington

KATHY ANN GWINNER
(Kath)
Drill Team 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Torch Club 3; Jr. Whatnot 3; Office Aid 4; Chorus 4; Senior Play 4

JAY MICHAEL HAEHN
(Mike)
Senior Play 4; Stage Crew 4

STEVEN DALE HANOWELL
(Steve)
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Student Council 4; Track 1,2

CURTIS LANE HAWLEY
(Curt)
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3,4; Drum Major 4; Senior Play 4

KRISTEN LOUISE HOLLIDAY
(Kris)
Annual Staff 4; A.S.B. Secretary 4; Jr.-Sr. Banquet Chairman 3; Homecoming Princess 3; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Torch Club 2,3,4; Cheerleader 1,3,4; Yell Queen 4; Girls' State 4; Senior Play 4

LINDA CAROL JOHNSON
(Lin)
F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Student Council 4; Teacher's Aid 4; Class Representative 4; Chorus 2,4

RICHARD FRANK JOHNSON
(Rich)
Transferred from Ferndale, Washington
F.F.A. 2

SPENCER LEE JOHNSON

NELS ARNE KALHOVDE

Annual Staff 4; Football 1; Track 1,2; Senior Play 4

ALAN DOGLE KLUWE
(Al)
Rifle Club 1,2; Jr. Whatnot 3; Teacher's Aid 1; Band 1,2; Senior Play 4

GARY ALAN LANKHAAR
Transferred from Lynden, Washington
F.F.A. 3; Jr. Whatnot 3; Chorus 2,3

JOHN CHRISTIAN LARSEN

Rifle Club 1; Band 1,2,3

JOSEPH CHARLES LARSEN
(Joe)
Rifle Club 1,2,3; Torch Club 3; Band 1,2,3

TIM ALLEN LINTZ

F.F.A. President 4; F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Torch Club 3; Basketball 4; Band 1,2,3,4; Band Drum Major 3,4

DAN JAY MANTHEY
Transferred from Ferndale, Washington
Big M Club 3,4; Torch Club 2,3,4; Basketball 2,3,4; Football 3,4

SYLVIA JEAN MERRELL
Transferred from Clarkston, Washington
Annual Staff 4; A.S.B. Treasurer 4; F.H.A. 2,3,4; Girls' Club 2,3,4; Pep Club 2,3,4; Torch Club 2,3,4; Student Council 4; Band 2, Girls' State 3

KAREN ELIZABETH MYHRE

Drill Team Lieutenant 4; Drill Team 2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Girls' Club President 4; Pep Club 1,2; Student Council 4; Jr. Whatnot 3; Teacher's Aid 4; Chorus 1,2,3,4

GORDON GEORGE NEEVEL

Big M Club 1,2,3,4; F.F.A. 1,2,3; Torch Club 3; Student Council 1,2; Football 2,3,4; Track 1

NECIA MARIE PARKER

Drill Team 2,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; Jr. Whatnot 3; Teacher's Aid 3,4; Paper Staff 4; Senior Play 4

RANDI LYNNE PARKER
(Chocolate Chips)
A.S.B. Publicity Manager 4; Torch Club 1,2,3,4; Annual Staff Art and Layout Editor 4; Yell Leader 1,2,3,4; Prom Chairman 3; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Drill Team 1,2,3; Jr. Whatnot 3,4; Senior Play 4

ERLING MENLO PARLOVA
Transferred from Cle Elum, Washington
Torch Club 4; Track 4; Band 4; Senior Play 4

JOHN MANUEL PEREZ JR.

Big M Club 3; Jr. Whatnot 3; Track 3; Senior Play 4

KAREN ANN PFANNENSTIEL

Drill Team Lieutenant 4, Drill Team 3,4; F.H.A. 1; G.A.A. 1, Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Jr. Whatnot 3; Teacher's Aid 3,4; Chorus 1,4; Senior Play 4

MARY ELIZABETH PRENDERGAST

Drill Team 2; G.A.A. 1,2; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Rifle Club 1,2; Jr. Whatnot 3; Teacher's Aid 4

ROBERT ALAN RHEA
(Alan)
F.F.A. 1,2,3; Track 1

LEILA MARIE RICHARDSON
(Chips)
Drill Team Captain 4; Drill Team 1,2,3,4; F.H.A. 1; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3; Office Aid 4; Teacher's Aid 3

MARLENE KAY ROBINSON
(Scooter)
F.H.A. 1; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1; Library Aid 1,2,3,4

FRED LAVERNE ROBSON

F.F.A. 3,4; Band 1,2,3,4

RICKY STEVEN ROEDELL
(Rick)
Rifle Club 3

JUDY LYNNE SIRES

F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 4; Office Aid 3,4

BLISS ROY SMALL
(Small)
F.F.A. 1,2,3; Track 1

JOHN EDWARD SMITH

Big M Club 2,3,4; Student Council 4; Jr. Whatnot 3; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Teacher's Aid 3; Chorus 3,4

SHIRLEY RAE SMITH

F.H.A. 1,3,4; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club President 4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Student Council 3,4; Jr. Whatnot 3; Office Aid 4; Teacher's Aid 4; Athletic Banquet Chairman 3; Senior Play 4

FRANK ALAN SPRAGUE

Big M Club 3; Torch Club 3; Student Council 3,4; Football 1,3; Track 1,2; Band 1,2,3,4; Paper Staff 4; Band President 4; Senior Play 4

GERALD DUANE STAMM

Chorus 2; F.F.A. 3,4

KATHY LEE STANDAL

Annual Editor 4; Annual Staff 2,3,4; Editor of Paper 1; F.H.A. 4; Torch Club 2,2,4; Jr. Whatnot 3; Senior Play 4; Chorus 4

PATRICK JAMES STEPHENS
(Pat)
F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Rifle Club 1,2,3; Senior Play 4

ROY EDWARD STEVENS

Torch Club 1,2,3,4; Basketball 3,4; Track 1,4; Senior Play 4

CURTIS ALFRED THOMPSON
(Curt)
Big M Club 2,3,4; Basketball 1; Football 1,2,3,4; Track 1; Chorus 3

EDWARD VANDENHAAK
(Ed)
Transferred from Ferndale, Washington
Band 3,4; Senior Play 4

ANNETTE SUE VEENSTRA

Annual Staff 4; F.H.A. President 4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Student Council 3,4; Jr. Whatnot 3; Teacher's Aid 4;

NYLE LLOYD VERKIST

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4; Band 3,4

MARTHA MITZIE WALKER
(Mitzie)
F.H.A. 1,2; G.A.A. 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Rifle Club 3,4; Student Council 2; Chorus 2,4; Senior Play 4

ROBERT NORMAN WEATHERBY
(Toot)
Big M Club 2,3,4; Basketball 1,2,3,4; Football 1,3,4; Baseball 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3

MIKE STEPHEN WEIDKAMP
(Weasel)
Editor of Paper 4; Business Manager of Paper 2,3; F.F.A. 1; Rifle Club 1; Jr. Whatnot 3; Track 2

RICHARD ALLEN WELCH
(Red)
F.F.A. 2; Torch Club 1,3; Track 1,2,3,4; Band 1,2,3; Senior Play 4

ROBERT ALLEN WHITE
(Bob)
Stage Crew 2,3

JANET LEE WIELAND

Annual Staff Business Manager 4; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2,3,4; Torch Club 1,2,3,4; Teacher's Aid 3,4

LINDA JO ANN WISTOSKI
(Linn)
F.H.A. 1; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 1,2; Office Aid 4; Chorus 1,2,3

CONSTANCE FAE ZIMBELMAN
(Connie)
Drill Team 3,4; F.H.A. 1,2,3,4; G.A.A. 1,2; Girls' Club 1,2,3,4; Pep Club 3,4; Torch Club 1,2,3,4; Paper Staff 2; Senior Play 4

JOHN DOUGLAS ZYLSTRA

Annual Staff 4; Torch Club 1,2,3,4; Senior Class President; Student Council 4; Basketball 1,2,3; Football 1; Track 1,3; Boy of the Month 3; Senior Play 4

A-1 Auto Body Rebuild Inc.
1293 Guide Meridian
Bellingham

All About Travel
1417 Cornwall Avenue
Bellingham

Alpine Cafeteria and Lounge
1223 Cornwall Avenue
Bellingham

Automotive Parts Service
1322 State Street
Bellingham
734-5600

Bellingham Fish Co.
1206 Central Ave.
734-5010
Wholesale Retail Sea Foods
Bellingham

Binyon Optometrists
1328 Cornwall Avenue
Bellingham

Brown's Beauty and Barber Supply Co.
211 East Holly Street
Bellingham

Coca-Cola Bottling Co.
1119 Railroad Avenue
Bellingham

Diebert's Store
1540 Meridian Road
Bellingham

Draper Valley Hatchery
6323 Guide Meridian
Lynden, Washington

Evergreen Pharmacy
Ferndale

Everson Drug
Everson

Everson Implement Co.
Everson
Oliver Sales & Service

Ferndale Bakery
384-1554
Ferndale

Ferndale Record
Ferndale

Fountain Motor Inc.
1410 Girard St.
Bellingham

Fraser Chevrolet
Champion and Forest
Bellingham
733-5540

Herald Prescription Pharmacy
1153 State Herald Building
734-4902
Bellingham

Horseshoe Restaurant
113 East Holly
Bellingham

I.V. Wilson Florist
1426 Cornwall Avenue
Bellingham

I.W. Copland Lumber Co.
Ferndale

Jansen's Floral
305 W. Champion
Bellingham

Jim's Chevron Service
Everson

Joe Martin Sporting Goods
and Shoe Repair
703 W. Holly
Bellingham
733-1610

Johnson's Flower Shop
121 W. Magnolia
Bellingham

Lange Volkswagen Co.
112 Samish Way
Bellingham

Leopold Storage Garage
1200 Cornwall Ave.
Bellingham

Levin's Furniture
Bay and West Holly
Bellingham

Mr. Mikes
1319 Commercial
Bellingham

Nesbitt Auto Parts
315 East Champion
Bellingham

Gus Neumann, Locksmith
1317A Railroad Ave.
Bellingham

Parberry Steel
& Supply Co.
700 West Holly
Bellingham

Roedell's Midway Market
6869 Guide Meridian
Lynden

Russell Hedman Insurance Agency
Everson

Sea King
&
Ship Wreck Room
Ferndale

Scholten Roofing
7175 Guide Meridian
Lynden

Superior Cleaners
Ferndale

Taco Time
707 E. Holly
Bellingham

Portable Welding
Lee Wieland
959 W. Laurel Road
Ferndale

Willard Auto Parts
Ferndale

Wilson Motors
215 N. Commercial
Bellingham

Bellingham Transmission

1514 12th Street

Bellingham, Wash.

Bellingham Sash & Door Co.

600 West Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

See us for your

complete line of building materials

call 734-3062

Sandy and Vale Shoe Repair

117 West Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

"Courtesy Parking"

Win's In

1315 12th Street

Bellingham, Wash.

Best Wishes to the Graduating Class of "69"

Martin Studio

Bellingham, Wash.

Hulford Electric

1415 Railroad Ave.

Bellingham, Wash.

Residential, Commercial and

Industrial Wiring – Electric Heating

734-0970 or 734-0685

CONGRATULATIONS

GRADUATES

Fleming Apartments

and

Fleming Construction

HOME BUILDERS

244 West KingTut Rd.

Lynden, Wash.

Matheson's Market

1298 Guide Meridian

Bellingham, Wash.

398-1701

Jansen's Supply

104 Prospect St.

Bellingham, Wash

Firestone

Dealer

Tires

Batteries

Brake Service

Wheel and Front End

Alignment

733-2420

The First National Bank of Ferndale

Ferndale, Wash.

Banking Hours

Monday through Friday
Drive–In 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Lobby 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Saturday Hours
10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Allsop Automatic, Inc.

1421 N. State Street

Bellingham, Wash

734-5090

Compliments of

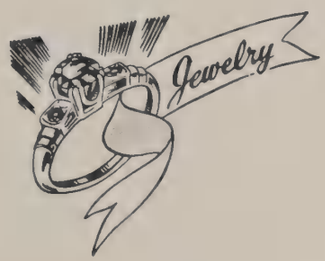
Larsen's Jewelers

Watches

Diamonds

and

Gifts



1305 Cornwall

Bellingham, Wash

Northwestern Commercial Bank

"Friendly Little Bank on the Corner"

Now with a College Branch

Open Longer hours to serve you better

including Saturday 10–1

Bellingham, Wash.

Member F.D.I.C.

Vienna Cleaners

206 E. Magnolia Bellingham, Wash.

734-3333

Bellingham's Finest

Cleaners

your Clothes DESERVE THE BEST

"None Faster – None Finer"

Sherman Clay

100 N. Commercial

Bellingham, Wash.

Hammond–

Kimball Organs

Kimball Pianos

Fisher Stereo

Henry Heusinkveld, Mgr.

733-2460

United Auto Electric Inc.

Formerly Satterlee Supply

Auto, Truck, Marine

and

Carburetor,

Electrical Specialist

Delco Remy Distributors

106 Prospect

734-2360

Ben's

For the Clothes Horse

1331 Cornwall

Bellingham, Wash.

Martinson's

119 W. Magnolia

Bellingham, Wash.

Hall's Bakery

2400 Meridian St.

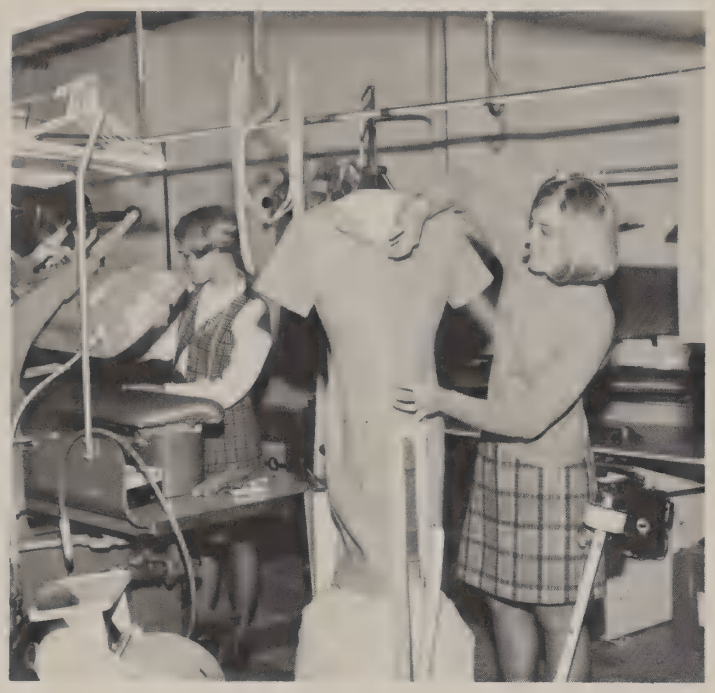
Bellingham, Wash.

Not Just Good

But Better

One Hour Martinizing

Speediest Service in Town



Cornwall Ave.

Bellingham, Wash.

Ferndale Thriftway

Ferndale, Wash.

Jarvie Department Store

Ferndale, Wash.

384-1361

Featuring a very complete

line of nationally advertised clothing.

King & Daul Tire Co.

N. State St. & E. Chestnut

Bellingham, Wash.

GOODYEAR

"Invite us to your

next blowout"

733-6230

Shaw Business and Secretarial College

11 Prospect Street

Bellingham, Wash.

Maurice's Hair Fashions

125 West Holly

733-3330

Belle Bridal & Formal Shoppe

306 West Champion

Bellingham, Wash.

McKay's Variety

Box 277

Ferndale, Wash.

Reinke's Fabrication, Inc.

1172 Aldrich Road

Bellingham, Wash.

Hansen's Young Men's Shop

105 West Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

Featuring Nationally Known

Brands In Quality Clothing

For Boys and Young Men

733-1612

Baker Creek
MOBILE HOMES PARK

341 Telegraph Road

Bellingham, Wash.

733-4529

Mobile Home Spaces

For Rent

Western Optical

1200 N. Forest St.

Bellingham, Wash.

733-2130

Van Wyck Grocery

Corner of Mt. Baker Highway and Noon Road

Bellingham, Wash.

Groceries

Texaco Gas

Sundries

TEXACO

R.A. Myhre, Owner

Service Electric Co.

2512 Meridian

Bellingham, Wash.

Keith Onsum

Insurance Broker

316 West Champion

Bellingham, Wash.

Success and Long

Life to the

Graduates

YOUR Independent Insurance AGENT

Drive Carefully

De Paul's Jewelry

135 East Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

Diamonds

are a

girl's best

friend

734-5130

Bellingham Hancock

2730 Meridian

Bellingham, Wash.

Always Good Service

For Tops

In

Flowers

Call

Gitts' Red Top Floral

749 3rd Street
Ferndale, Wash.

Corsages For All Occasions

384-1737

Meridian Mercantile

1136 Guide Meridian
Bellingham, Wash.

398-2171

June's & The Olive Tree

109 Magnolia
Bellingham, Wash.

Fountain Drug

2416 Meridian Street
Bellingham, Wash.

Bellingham's

Drive – in

Pharmacy

733-6200

Wahl's

125 West Holly

Bellingham, Wash

Williams Berry Farm

360 W. Pole Road

Lynden, Wash.

Pickers Wanted

Uniflite Inc.

9th & Harris

Bellingham, Wash.

Stockton's Paint

1413 Railroad Ave.

Bellingham, Wash.

Goss' Variety

404 Front Street

Lynden, Wash.

Toys

Notions

House Wares

School Supplies

354-2995

Irwin Hardware

" The One Stop Shop For All Your Home and Farm Needs."

Ferndale, Wash.

O'Neall's Service

1201 Northwest Rd.

Bellingham, Wash.

Bellingham National Bank

Cornwall & East Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

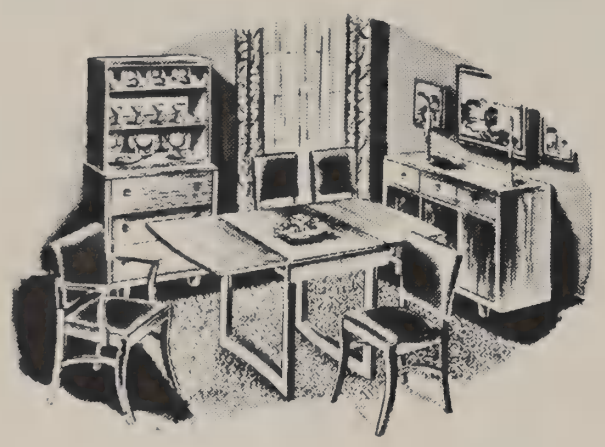
With offices to serve

you in Whatcom County.

Griffith Furniture, Inc.

2501 Meridian St.

Bellingham, Wash.



New and Used Furniture

734-3730

Clark's Feed & Seed

Railroad & E. Magnolia

Bellingham, Wash.

Western Apparel & Saddlery

Bellingham Beauty School

211 West Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

Award winning

instructors to train you

Penney's

Glenbrooke Fashions

Rate A's for the

"Now" fashions

Sensibly priced

Downtown Bellingham

734-7412

Royal Inn

208 E. Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

Rhea Berry Farms

William T. Follis
REALTOR

308 West Champion

Bellingham, Wash.

Congratulations to the

1968–'69 Trojans!

Allied Transmission of Bellingham, Inc.

Prospect & Central

Bellingham, Wash.

733-4442

Virginia's Cafe

1320 Commercial

Bellingham, Wash.

734-6860

Bob's Richfield

12th and Harris

Bellingham, Wash.

Congratulations to the

1968-69 Trojan

Basketball Team

Cascade

Laundry

and Dry Cleaners

205 Prospect

Bellingham, Wash.

First in DRY CLEANING
APPROVED
SANITONE
SERVICE

Clyde Bank's Camera

139 West Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

You'll find everything
Photographic at
Clyde Bank's

734-6210

Compliments of

Fairhaven Pharmacy

1115 Harris Street

Bellingham, Wash.

Jeffcott Motor Co.

Box 388
Ferndale, Wash.
384-1311

Times Bike & Trophy Shop

1308 Railroad Ave.

Adams Welding Supply Co.

308 East Champion

Bellingham, Wash.

733-0970

The Shrimp Shack

514 West Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

Seafood is our only business.

Bring the whole family

for a wide variety of

fresh seafood

lunches and dinners.

733-3200

National Bank of Commerce

128 East Holly

Bellingham, Wash.

F.D.I.C. Member

734-0310

Barr's Camera Shop

108 East Magnolia St.

Bellingham, Wash.

Fast Photo Finishing

Everything Photographic

It's not far to Barr's

Compliments of

The Lynden

Chamber of Commerce

Head T.V. Repair and Antenna Testing

1265 Meridian

Bellingham, Wash.

Antenna Testing, Radio and T.V. Repair Channel

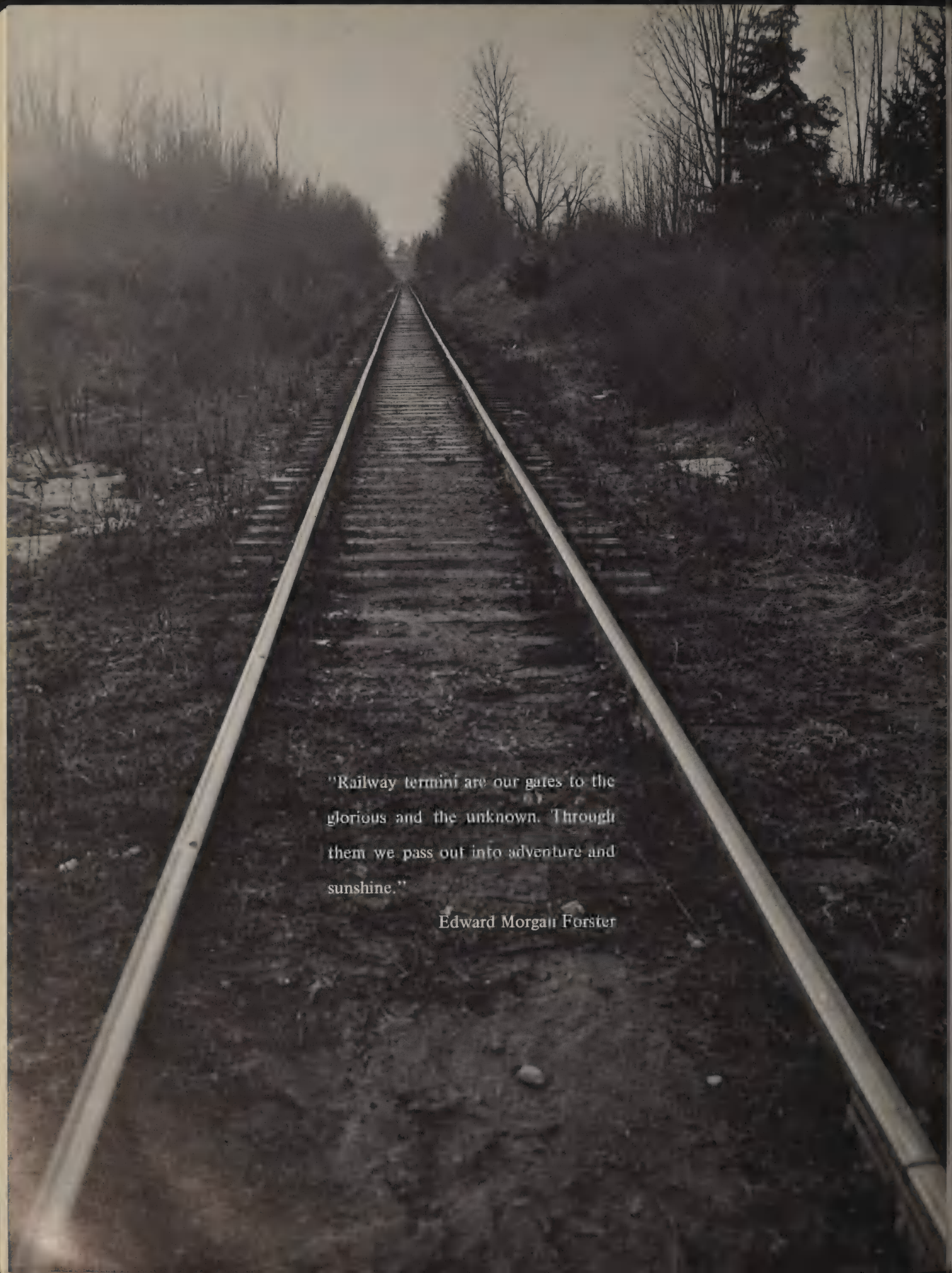
Master Antennas, Rotors and Installations

Setchell Carlson Color Television

Congratulations to the Graduates of 1969

Intalco Corp.

Box 937 Ferndale, Wash.



"Railway termini are our gates to the glorious and the unknown. Through them we pass out into adventure and sunshine."

Edward Morgan Forster

Darrel
Well its been
a good year for
wood shop. hope
to see you next year
in school. don't get into
too much trouble this
summer. Good luck always
Robert M
"70"